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Summary

As a result of slackening demand and increased costs of production, the poultry meat industries in the European Community (EC) are very depressed. By late spring 1974 broiler prices were so low as to prompt agreement among producer interests in various EC countries, which, if effective, will reduce July-December output from the high levels of 1973 and early 1974.

Poultry meat production in the EC increased by 7 percent in 1973, with substantial gains in all member countries except Belgium. Broiler and turkey meat production were up substantially.

Poultry meat prices rose, outpacing production costs during much of the year. Prices were attractive, compared with those for red meats, stimulating greater per capita consumption, except in West Germany where per capita consumption declined slightly and in Belgium where it remained unchanged.

However, in late 1973 demand began to weaken and poultry prices declined. A cost squeeze affected individual countries in varying degrees and generally became more severe in the new year. In early 1974 beef and pork prices slipped, putting still more downward pressure on poultry meat prices. Also, feedgrain prices reached a peak in February 1974. Poultry meat stocks accumulated to abnormally high levels. Reacting to growing stocks-on-hand and increasing financial losses by poultry producers, the EC Commission established a "special" export subsidy for broilers, effective May 1, 1974:

Output Up Sharply in 1973

In the EC, broiler production reached 4.9 billion pounds in 1973—6.5 percent above that of the previous year—continuing a long-term upward trend. Production of other chicken meat (old laying hens) has fluctuated, reflecting smaller increases in egg

consumption in several countries, stagnant demand in others, and more efficient output per hen. Production of turkey meat in 1973 was up 16 percent (27 percent increase in 1972), and is gaining prominence in the EC poultry market.

Rapidly climbing feed costs plagued poultry producers during 1973, particularly in the new member countries that were adjusting grain prices to EC policy. Feed prices in the EC-6 rose progressively during 1973, reaching a third quarter peak of about 40 percent above the 1972 level. Ration prices declined by about 10 percent in the fourth quarter. By late 1973 there were expressions of concern for higher fuel, labor, and energy-related costs.

Along with other poultry meat prices, broiler prices rose rapidly in 1973, as shown in Table 1, reaching a high point during the third quarter in Belgium, France, West Germany, and Denmark, falling off thereafter. In Italy the price rise was checked by a price freeze in July. The wholesale price of domestically grown broilers (ready-to-cook) in Hamburg averaged 41 U.S. cents per pound in January 1973, about 71 cents in July, and declined to an average of 52 cents in December.

Generally, poultry producers prospered during much of the year. They benefited by the attractiveness of poultry meat prices compared with prices of red meats, which were then in relatively short supply. However, toward the end of 1973 the "meat-feed price ratio" turned less favorable, the cost squeeze became more pronounced, and red meat prices fell.

West Germany's production of poultry meat accounts for about half of that country's consumption needs, and in 1973 increased by about 5 percent over that of 1972. Broiler production was up by 6.5 percent and turkey meat output by 6 percent. Poultry meat imports declined by almost 3 percent to 598 million pounds. About 85 percent was supplied by other EC members.

In contrast, West German poultry meat exports increased by 300 percent, to 51 million pounds, practically all of which were subsidized sales to non-EC markets. The Near East was the major destination (20 million pounds), followed by Eastern Europe (12 million pounds). Exports to Austria, Chile, Hong Kong, and Switzerland also increased.

West German domestic consumption declined noticeably in the second half of the year, reversing the trend of the last 12 years. This drop is believed to be a direct reaction to higher prices as well as demand limitations imposed by inflation and economic uncertainties. Broiler production in the second half of 1973 was 3 percent below the level for the first half of the year. Nonetheless, West German broiler stocks accumulated, reaching an estimated 22 million pounds by the end of the year.

Although a moderately small producer, the **Netherlands** is the largest exporter of poultry meat within the EC, and highly dependent on the export market which absorbs the bulk of its poultry meat production (about 75 percent). Aware that production was increasing in other countries, notably in its main export market—West Germany—, and that Denmark would offer new and strong competition, Dutch production was restrained in 1973. Broiler production increased by about 3.5 percent over that of a year earlier, while turkey meat production declined by 9 percent.

Total Dutch poultry meat exports fell by 6 percent to 486 million pounds. Shipments to West Germany, which accounted for about 84 percent of total exports, were 8 percent below 1972. Broiler exports to the same market were down 7 percent and turkey meat exports were off 20 percent. This decline was partially offset by subsidized exports to Switzerland, as well as to Asian and Near East Markets. Domestic consumption increased only slightly, and stocks started to build up.

Stimulated by sharply increased producer prices, **Denmark's** 1973 broiler production has been estimated at 5.8 percent above that of 1972, with most of the gain registered during the first 6 months of last year.

Domestic consumption increased sharply during 1973, from 11.2 pounds to 14.6 pounds per capita (up 24 percent), due largely to the elimination of the "home marketing scheme" which maintained high domestic prices as a form of subsidy for poultry meat exports. Its elimination was required because of Denmark's entry into the EC.

Denmark's total poultry meat exports declined by 4 percent to 111 million pounds. Exports to West Germany expanded markedly, but were more than offset by smaller shipments during 1973 to other markets in the EC as well as third countries. Among the latter, only shipments to Greece and Singapore

registered significant increases. Demand slackened toward the end of the year, and by January 1, stocks were well above a year earlier.

France, the second largest EC poultry meat producer, increased its output of broilers in 1973 by 12 percent and turkey meat by 33 percent. In contrast to red meat, poultry meat consumption increased, reaching a record 35 pounds per capita—about 20 percent of total meat consumption.

Poultry meat exports in 1973 totaled 116 million pounds, compared with 93 million a year earlier. West Germany was the main export market for French poultry meat in 1973, purchasing 41 percent, followed by Switzerland and East Germany. Subsidized exports to Near East markets continued to be significant. Ready-to-cook broilers and fowl represented nearly 90 percent of French exports, while "French-dressed" poultry comprised the remainder, despite an EC directive restricting trade in this form.

Italy, the largest poultry meat producer in the EC, expanded broiler production by about 2.5 percent to over 1.1 billion pounds, and turkey meat production by 16 percent. Poultry meat imports continued to exceed exports, which declined, and domestic supplies expanded. Italian consumption of poultry meat reached 35 pounds per capita in 1973. Consumption of turkey meat rose to 612 pounds per capita, with further increases expected. There is strong interest in expanding turkey meat production in Italy and consumer acceptance of turkey is growing. Traditional Italian butcher shops appear to be profitably involved in handling turkey.

In the **United Kingdom** total production of chicken meat (both broilers and fowl) increased again in 1973 (up 7 percent). Turkey meat production was up by about 2.5 percent to 184 million pounds. Poultry meat consumption continued to rise to a new record level of about 30 pounds per capita and accompanying a downtrend in consumption of red meat. This rise is also associated with innovative merchandising of both chickens and turkey in the United Kingdom American-style "carry-out" shops are reportedly proving to be important and growing outlets for chicken. Also, consumption of "further-processed" turkey meat, much of it imported from the United States, is showing an appreciable increase. With respect to total poultry meat, the United Kingdom is close to self-sufficiency, importing about 2 percent of consumption requirements.

Ireland increased both broiler and turkey meat output in 1973. Poultry meat exports, mostly to the United Kingdom, declined significantly from 7.9 million pounds in 1972 to 6.6 million pounds. Broiler exports declined, but turkey meat exports increased. Irish poultry meat consumption continued to increase in 1973, accelerating the trend of

previous years.

Broiler production remained practically unchanged in **Belgium-Luxembourg**, compared with that of 1972, although well below the level of the 2 preceding years. Fowl production was down for the second year and turkey meat production continued to increase. There was little change in domestic consumption.

Current Situation and Outlook

As a result of the events described above, EC poultry markets are in serious difficulties. By late spring 1974 slackening demand for poultry meat, high production costs, and mounting stocks called for special measures—concerted efforts to cut production in Member States along with larger export subsidies to dispose of the surplus outside the EC.

During most of March and April this year, Dutch broilers for export averaged less than 50 cents per pound, contrasted with peak weekly averages at 70 cents in the summer of 1973. Some lots which sold in spring 1974 at 40 cents were claimed to be 20 percent below cost of production.

This unfavorable price prompted broiler producers in EC countries to mutually agree to reduce their output. This reduction may be equivalent to 2.5 percent of recent annual output. Since it will be concentrated into a 6-month period or less, it could amount to a 5 percent cut from July-December 1973. Pending the production effects of the agreement, the Community has established a special export subsidy of 6.5 cents per pound for whole broilers to help clear the existing surplus. This surplus included an estimated 40,000-50,000 tons in excess of normal broiler stocks, as well as late spring slaughter which generally remained above year-earlier levels.

These stocks existed at the same time that excessive beef supplies depressed EC markets. Recent intervention stocks of beef have been placed at 100,000 metric tons. EC actions with respect to beef have included border closings and a requirement that importers offset beef imports by purchasing equivalent quantities of beef from EC intervention stocks. A shortage of cold storage has also been reported, particularly in Denmark.

Despite weakening prices for broilers and continuing high costs, broiler production in early 1974 continued ahead of 1973 in most EC countries. In Denmark, for example, slaughter through mid-April was 15 percent above the level of a year earlier.

For the second half of 1974, however, broiler output is expected to drop significantly, particularly

if the agreement among producer groups of various EC countries is effective in imposing agreed cutbacks. Spokesmen for the poultry industries of the participating countries have evidently agreed to the following cutbacks for July-December 1974:

The Netherlands	10 percent of annual production
West Germany	10 percent of annual production
Denmark	6 percent of annual production
Belgium	10 percent of commercial slaughter for export
France	10 percent of commercial slaughter for export

Interests in the United Kingdom may also participate in the agreement, but details of this are not presently available.

These percentages are based mostly on an 18-month history, but are to be applied in a period of 5½ months duration or possibly even shorter. Therefore, the short-term impact in the individual countries will obviously exceed the above percentages.

The consequent cutback in broiler production during July-December this year is expected to total about 70,000 metric tons. This, in turn, could reduce the amount of grain and high protein meal fed to broilers in the EC during the second half of this year by about 200,000 metric tons. For 1974 as a whole, the amount of feed utilized in poultry meat production should be slightly less than the estimated 9 million metric tons fed in 1973.

After broilers, the next largest segment of EC poultry meat production is turkey. Turkeys seem less affected than broilers by the present price weakness, despite the fact that early-1974 slaughter reflected the increase of 35 percent in August-January (1973-74) poult placements in six EC countries. EC turkey production will probably rise moderately in 1974, possibly by as much as 5 percent over a year earlier to an estimated 870 million pounds.

Slaughter of nonbroiler chickens is essentially a byproduct of egg production. Large egg production flocks in Europe and the possibility of flock reduction in response to somewhat unsatisfactory egg prices, suggest that supplies of this category of bird (soup hens) will be sustained at or above the 1973 levels, or about 665 million pounds.

This outlook suggests a slight net decline (1.5 percent) in total EC poultry meat production for 1974, with practically all of the decrease accomplished after mid-year. Total output is estimated at 6.85 billion pounds.

Table 1.--Indices of broiler prices 1/, EC-9 members, 1973
by quarters (1972 average = 100)

Country	Aver. 1972	(Percent)				1973 (Quarters)			
		1	2	3	4				
Belgium-Luxembourg <u>2</u> /.....	100	110	120	129	113				
France <u>3</u> /.....	100	101	116	124	98				
Germany, West <u>3</u> /.....	100	117	126	138	127				
Italy <u>2</u> /.....	100	113	126	111	93				
Netherlands <u>2</u> /.....	100	109	118	139	139				
Denmark <u>2</u> /.....	100	121	135	156	148				
Ireland <u>2</u> /.....	100	113	128	138	158				
United Kingdom <u>3</u> /.....	100	122	128	149	156				

1/ Based on prices expressed in local currencies. 2/ Producer price.
3/ Wholesale price.

Table 2.--Poultry meat, EC-9: Production of member countries by class of poultry, average 1966-69 and year 1970-74 1/

(In millions of pounds)

Item and country	Average 1966-69	1970	1971	1972	1973 <u>2/</u>	1974 <u>3/</u>
Broilers <u>4/</u>						
Belgium-Luxembourg.....	181.9	197.7	198.9	194.7	194.7	187
France.....	776.2	892.3	896.0	952.8	1,068.9	1,060
Germany, West.....	226.6	343.9	374.8	372.6	396.8	335
Italy.....	904.4	919.3	974.4	1,084.6	1,111.8	1,125
Netherlands.....	378.6	523.1	559.6	581.2	609.5	555
Denmark.....	117.3	139.1	145.5	157.8	166.9	155
Ireland.....	34.4	42.6	50.5	50.4	59.2	58
United Kingdom <u>5/</u>	981.7	1,073.0	1,120.0	1,182.7	1,265.6	1,275
Total.....	3,601.0	4,131.0	4,319.7	4,576.8	4,873.4	4,750
Other chicken meat						
Belgium-Luxembourg.....	40.4	53.6	56.2	49.4	43.7	-
France.....	192.9	210.1	217.5	219.4	223.1	-
Germany, West.....	129.0	127.9	127.9	108.0	110.2	-
Italy.....	238.5	222.7	196.2	160.9	196.2	-
Netherlands.....	52.9	61.6	54.8	59.6	57.6	-
Denmark.....	12.1	13.4	8.8	8.6	9.0	-
Ireland.....	15.8	13.0	14.1	14.3	15.7	-
United Kingdom <u>5/</u>	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total.....	681.6	702.3	675.5	620.2	655.5	665
Turkey meat						
Belgium-Luxembourg <u>6/</u>	2.5	4.2	5.1	4.6	5.5	5
France.....	<u>7/</u> 27.5	72.3	106.3	159.4	212.5	230
Germany, West.....	25.4	35.3	35.3	35.3	37.5	35
Italy.....	<u>7/</u> 105.1	<u>7/</u> 180.0	198.4	288.1	335.1	350
Netherlands.....	13.3	26.3	33.2	33.0	30.0	30
Denmark.....	8.7	12.1	10.4	11.2	11.7	10
Ireland.....	6.6	8.6	9.7	9.7	9.9	10
United Kingdom.....	112.0	152.3	159.0	168.0	183.7	200
Total.....	301.1	491.1	557.4	709.3	825.9	870
Other poultry meat <u>8/</u>						
Belgium-Luxembourg <u>6/</u>	-	-	-	-	-	-
France.....	<u>7/</u> 272.6	155.1	161.5	208.3	218.9	-
Germany, West.....	67.2	61.7	61.7	59.5	59.5	-
Italy.....	<u>7/</u> 70.7	<u>7/</u> 106.6	207.2	278.4	239.6	-
Netherlands.....	15.8	19.2	13.8	16.6	17.1	-
Denmark.....	8.8	9.4	11.0	10.4	11.0	-
Ireland.....	2.2	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.5	-
United Kingdom.....	25.8	29.1	33.6	33.6	33.6	-
Total.....	463.1	383.6	491.0	609.0	582.2	565

1/ Ready-to-cook basis. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Forecast. 4/ Includes fryers, roasters, and other young chickens. 5/ "Other chicken meat" is included in "Broiler meat"; breakdown not available.

6/ "Other poultry meat" is included in "Turkey meat". 7/ Based on unofficial estimates.

8/ Includes ducks, geese, and guinea fowl.

Table 3--Summary of poultry meat production, EC-9: Distribution of total production by class of poultry and by producing country, average 1966-69 and yearly 1970-74 1/

(In millions of pounds)							
Item and country	Average 1966-69	1970	1971	1972	1973 <u>2/</u>	1974 <u>3/</u>	
<u>Class of poultry</u>							
Broilers <u>5/</u>	3,601.0	4,131.0	4,319.7	4,576.8	4,873.4	4,750	
Other chicken meat <u>5/</u> ...	681.6	702.3	675.5	620.2	655.5	665	
Turkey meat.....	<u>6/</u> 301.1	<u>6/</u> 491.1	557.4	709.3	825.9	870	
Other poultry meat <u>7/</u> ...	<u>6/</u> 463.1	<u>6/</u> 383.6	491.0	609.0	582.2	565	
Total.....	5,046.8	5,708.0	6,043.6	6,515.3	6,937.0	6,850	
<u>Producing country</u>							
Belgium-Luxembourg....	224.8	255.5	260.2	248.7	243.9	240	
France.....	1,269.2	1,329.8	1,381.3	1,539.9	1,723.4	1,725	
Germany, West.....	448.1	568.8	599.7	575.4	604.0	535	
Italy.....	1,318.7	1,428.6	1,576.2	1,812.0	1,882.7	1,900	
Netherlands.....	460.6	630.2	661.4	690.4	714.2	660	
Denmark.....	146.9	174.0	175.7	188.0	198.6	185	
Ireland.....	58.9	66.7	76.5	76.6	87.3	85	
United Kingdom.....	1,119.5	1,254.4	1,312.6	1,384.3	1,482.9	1,520	
Total.....	5,046.8	5,708.0	6,043.6	6,515.3	6,937.0	6,850	

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WORLD POULTRY MEAT PRODUCTION CONTINUED UPTREND IN 1973, ONLY MODERATE INCREASES EXPECTED IN 1974

Poultry meat production continued to increase in 1973. U.S. production declined 2 percent but was more than offset by an estimated 6 percent increase in production abroad. While modest compared to increases in preceding years, the 1973 gain occurred in spite of spiraling feed prices that greatly increased production costs. Although poultry meat prices at retail were higher through most of 1973 than the year before, they remained more advantageous to consumers than red meat prices. As a result, poultry meat consumption increased.

Both red meat and poultry meat prices started to fall in late 1973. With continued high feed prices and rising costs of other production inputs, such as labor and fuel, profit margins have shrunk. Moreover, it is likely that consumer demand will be dampened to the extent that inflation further erodes disposable real income. Therefore, increases in world poultry production during 1974 likely will be more modest than in recent years.

Broilers. In the 21 foreign countries for which data are available, 1973 production totaled about 9.5 billion pounds, up 6 percent from that of 1972 and 58 percent above the 1966-69 average. Recent increases in Japan, Venezuela, and Brazil have been still more substantial. Broilers account for most of total poultry meat output in all countries; however, the relative importance of broilers in individual countries varies, from nearly 60 percent of total poultry meat production in Italy in 1973 to over 85 percent in Japan, Australia, New Zealand, and Netherlands.

Other chicken meat (fowl). Production in 1973 increased by about 6 percent, reflecting heavier culling of laying flocks in response to generally unsatisfactory egg prices. A byproduct of egg production, fowl meat output has been relatively stable in recent years, reflecting smaller consumption increases in some countries, stagnant demand in others, and more efficient egg output per hen.

Fowl meat is an important segment of total poultry meat production, particularly in countries such as West Germany, Belgium, Ireland, and Japan, where large laying

flocks supplied 15-18 percent of total poultry meat production in 1973. This contrasts to less than 8 percent in the United States and Canada, and about 5 percent in Denmark.

Turkey meat. Turkey meat production in 21 foreign countries totaled nearly 1.1 billion pounds in 1973—15 percent above the previous year's level and 137 percent above the 1966-69 average. Almost all of this increase occurred in the European Community. Italy, although it ranks well behind the United States in turkey production, has emerged as the world's second largest turkey producer. Canada, France, and the United Kingdom have also made substantial gains.

Per capita poultry meat consumption continued to increase in 1973. An exception was the United States, where consumption decreased by 4 percent in 1973 to slightly over 50 pounds per capita. Also, easing of restrictions on beef consumption in Argentina discouraged both production and consumption of poultry meat. In Mexico, where supplies had sharply increased in 1972, consumption subsided to a more normal level. In general, poultry meat continued to gain more prominence as a major food item in diets throughout the world.

North and South America

During most of 1973, broiler meat output in the United States was well below 1972 levels. However, expanded output late in the year raised total 1973 production to only slightly under the year-earlier level. Turkey meat production, including that not processed in federally inspected plants, increased slightly.

During the first 6 months of 1973, broiler meat production was about 5.5 percent above that of a year earlier. However, profit margins narrowed drastically early in the year and production plans were cut back substantially. Total 1974 broiler production will likely be about unchanged from 1973.

Turkey production during January-July 1974 was around a third more than output a year earlier. Large cold storage

stocks of turkey meat, together with declining prices, led to reduced hatchings in May, June, and July, indicating that turkey meat production will decline substantially toward the end of 1974, but in total will still exceed 1973 output by about 6 percent. Total U.S. poultry meat output in 1974 is expected to reach 10.1 billion pounds, ready-to-cook basis.

Canadian poultry meat production increased in 1973 by about 45 million pounds. Half of this increase was accounted for by a 10 percent increase in turkey production. Broiler production increased by 1.5 percent. Poultry meat imports, mainly fresh and frozen chicken from the United States, increased by 19 percent to 16.7 million pounds. Following 2 years as a net exporter, Canada was again a net importer of poultry meat in both 1972 and 1973. In 1973, Canadian exports consisted of fresh and frozen chicken to Hong Kong (over 1.3 million pounds) and Cuba (1.1 million pounds).

Per capita consumption in Canada increased for the fifth year in a row. The Canadian Turkey Marketing Agency, established on December 31, 1973, intended to provide stable and fair prices. Under this new program, turkey meat imports from the United States have been limited by quotas since May 1974. A similar agency was set up for eggs in mid-1973 and a marketing agency for the broiler industry is under consideration. During 1974, broiler production is expected to increase by about 2 percent. Large stocks of turkey meat are expected to depress turkey production to about 70 million pounds.

The **Mexican** Government and domestic poultry industry cooperated in 1973 to restrict broiler output, in reaction to overproduction in 1972. As a result, broiler production declined by about 10 percent and producer prices advanced by about 13 percent. Turkey meat output, however, increased by 75 percent. Although production restraints continue in 1974, poultry meat production is expected to again turn upward, exceeding 500 million pounds.

Reflecting official encouragement of poultry meat consumption at the expense of beef, broiler production in **Peru** increased by almost 15 percent in 1973. An estimated 85 percent of the mixed feed output in Peru is consumed by poultry. Import licenses are issued liberally for the import of breeding stock and production needs. Hatchery capacity is expanding.

In early 1974 the average monthly hatch was in the range of 7.7 million chicks, compared to a monthly average of 6 million during 1973. Growing interest in commercial turkey production is evidenced by larger imports of poults and eggs. Peruvian officials expected poultry meat production to surpass beef in 1974. However, high world grain prices and plentiful supplies of beef may limit output to about the 1973 level.

Brazil's 1973 broiler production is estimated at approximately 645 million pounds—about 35 percent above the 1972 level and reportedly equal to about 25 percent of national beef consumption. Brazil produces

ample supplies of corn and soybean meal, and also is nearly self-sufficient in the manufacture of poultry production equipment. Broiler production is expanding in the less prosperous northeast, as well as in the Rio de Janeiro-São Paulo area. Small pilot exports, priced below the domestic market, were made in 1973 to Japan with a view of gaining experience in overseas poultry trade. Total poultry meat output in 1974 will likely exceed 725 million pounds.

Venezuelan broiler production in 1973 was up almost 12 percent, and the domestic poultry industry believed the local market could have absorbed even more. However, with the imposition of Government price controls on feed, chick placements were reportedly reduced and rations downgraded. Assuming effective implementation of the Government's announced intention to subsidize production and feed imports, broiler output could continue to expand 5–10 percent annually. Existing facilities are used at substantially less than full capacity.

Following years of continual expansion, broiler production in **Argentina** declined in 1973 by about 15 percent, a decrease related to lower beef prices during the last half of the year and the easing of restrictions on beef consumption. Also, ceiling prices imposed on poultry diminished production incentives. Although the industry has reserve capacity, output in 1974 is not expected to increase over the 1973 level of 670 million pounds because of larger red meat supplies.

European Economic Community

West Germany's production of poultry meat accounts for only about half of that country's consumption needs. Broiler production was up by 6.5 percent and turkey meat output by 6 percent. Poultry meat imports, about 85 percent supplied by other EC members, declined by almost 3 percent to 598 million pounds. In contrast, West Germany poultry meat exports increased by 300 percent, to 51 million pounds, practically all subsidized sales to non-EC markets. The Near East was the major destination (20 million pounds), followed by Eastern Europe (12 million pounds).

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Ireland increased both broiler and turkey meat output in 1973. Poultry meat exports, mostly to the United Kingdom, declined significantly from 7.9 million pounds in 1972 to 6.6 million pounds. Broiler exports declined, but turkey meat exports increased. Irish poultry meat consumption increased again in 1973, continuing the trend of previous years.

Broiler production remained practically unchanged in **Belgium-Luxembourg**, compared with that of 1972, but was well below the level of the 2 preceding years. Fowl production was down for the second year and turkey meat production continued to increase. There was little change in domestic consumption.

Poultry meat stocks in the **European Community** reached abnormally high levels by the end of 1973. Falling red meat prices pushed poultry meat prices downward, while feed prices remained high. The resulting cost squeeze caused producers in the Netherlands, West Germany, Denmark, Belgium, and France to agree to a temporary cutback in broiler production during the second half of 1974. However, it is uncertain whether or not this agreed cutback will be observed by the poultry industries in Member States.

Indications are that EC broiler production may be about as large in 1974 as the previous year. As a result, poultry stocks again are starting to accumulate. A special export subsidy of nearly 8 cents per pound on whole broilers was in effect May 1–July 1. About 48 million pounds of broilers were exported with the help of this subsidy, with half of this quantity going to the USSR. An export subsidy of nearly 6.5 cents per pound was reintroduced on August 15 and the EC expects this to aid in the export of about 20,000–35,000 metric tons of broilers between now and the end of October this year.

Also, effective August 1, the EC established new procedures for calculating gate prices, as well as supplemental and basic levies for turkey meat. These changes greatly increase protection of the EC turkey industry from foreign competition. Total EC poultry meat production in 1974 now is expected to be about the same as that of the previous year—nearly 7 billion pounds.

Other Europe and Middle East

Broiler production in **Austria** increased by 8 percent in 1973. Fowl production was up by 18 percent, reflecting a reduction in the laying flock. Turkey production is expected to decline because of unfavorable production conditions and stiff competition from Hungary. Total poultry meat output in 1974 will likely be about 100 million pounds.

In **Switzerland**, 1973 broiler output was almost 6 percent above that of 1972 and poultry meat imports increased by almost 10 percent, permitting a growth of more than 6 percent in per capita consumption of poultry meat. Switzerland continued to rely on imports for about 60 percent of its total poultry meat supplies. Imports of U.S. poultry meat dropped sharply to 3.1 million pounds from 11.9 million pounds in 1972, because of elimination of the U.S. subsidy program for broiler exports.

Switzerland will continue to be an important import market for poultry meat in 1974. However, subsidized EC exports will probably further reduce the U.S. share of this market. Total Swiss poultry meat output in 1974 is expected to be slightly over 40 million pounds.

For the first time in recent years, broiler production in **Greece** declined, in response to overproduction in 1972, low ceiling prices combined with high feed costs early in the year and later, and slackening demand related to economic uncertainties. However, poultry meat imports increased to 11 million pounds compared to 4.2 million in 1972, so that total supply and per capita consumption were relatively unchanged. Greek poultry meat production in 1974 may stagnate because of the high cost of imported feedgrains and plentiful supplies of red meat.

Lebanon's poultry meat production, primarily for domestic consumption, expanded by about 9 percent. This increase consisted almost entirely of fowl meat. **Lebanon's** egg exports to other Near East countries, which normally absorb half its egg output, were impaired in 1973 and heavy culling resulted. Some recovery is expected in the egg export market in 1974 and total poultry meat output will likely reach 45 million pounds.

Yugoslavia was a small net exporter of poultry meat until 1972, when net imports totaled about 2.9 million pounds. Responding to shortages of other meats, net poultry meat imports in 1973 increased to 16.9 million pounds and poultry meat production increased by 8 percent. Per capita consumption was up to an estimated 17.2 pounds per capita.

However, with plentiful beef supplies and increased costs for imported grains, poultry production could decline by up to 5 percent in 1974.

Poultry meat production in **Poland** was up 14 percent in 1973. Data on production by class of poultry are lacking; however, a substantial portion of total poultry meat output consisted of fowl, as indicated by the large production of eggs. Geese production was also important, particularly for export. Total exports, mainly to West Germany and the USSR, reached 63 million pounds in 1971 and then declined to 44 million pounds in 1973. Output this year is expected to exceed 400 million pounds.

Asia and Oceania

Broiler production continued to expand in **Japan** during 1973, while fowl meat production from the large laying flock declined, leading to a net increase of 11 percent in total poultry meat production. Imports declined in 1973 to 57 million pounds from 64 million pounds, accounting for about 4 percent of total consumption in both years. The United States remained the major supplier of poultry meat, accounting for 35 percent of total imports in 1973. Consumption increased by 6 percent in 1973 to about 14.4 pounds per capita. Poultry output will probably increase in Japan in 1974. High feed costs and rising inflation will likely reduce real disposable income and consumption.

Australian broiler production continued its upward trend reflecting the growth of "fast food" outlets; output was up 5 percent in 1973. In contrast, fowl production declined by 14 percent. Turkey production continued to grow. Total poultry meat output reached 374 million pounds, up 3 percent from the 1972 level. Further increases in poultry meat production are expected in 1974 and output may reach 390 million pounds.

Poultry meat: Production 1/ by class of poultry, 21 foreign countries 2/,
average 1966-69, annual 1970-73

Item	(In million pounds)					
	Average	1970	1971	1972	1973 <u>3/</u>	
	1966-69					
Broiler meat <u>4/</u>	5,745	7,328	7,949	8,909	9,468	
Other chicken meat <u>5/</u>	1,286	1,369	1,357	1,234	1,270	
Turkey meat.....	520	739	806	947	1,089	
Ducks, geese, etc.....	<u>555</u>	<u>428</u>	<u>522</u>	<u>639</u>	<u>612</u>	
Total.....	8,106	9,864	10,634	11,729	12,439	

1/ Ready-to-cook basis. 2/ Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Mexico, Peru, Venezuela, European
Economic Community, Austria, Greece, Lebanon, Switzerland, Australia, and Japan. 3/ Preliminary.
4/ Includes fryers, roasters, and other young chickens. 5/ Primarily meat from birds culled
from laying flock.

Broiler meat 1/: Production in specified countries, 1966-73

Continent and area	(In million pounds)						
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
North and South America:							
Argentina 3/	249.3	270.2	295.9	316.8	446.6	573.3	708.8
Brazil	(4/)	(4/)	(4/)	247.8	349.2	360.4	473.0
Canada	485.8	518.1	528.1	619.4	678.4	641.7	690.9
Mexico	(4/)	(4/)	160.9	169.1	243.8	390.2	478.4
Peru	56.0	85.6	78.9	81.1	85.5	93.3	119.1
United States	6,472.0	6,612.0	6,715.0	7,234.0	7,810.0	7,823.0	8,245.0
Venezuela	(4/)	81.5	84.1	104.5	115.0	118.2	138.7
Total	7,263.1	7,567.4	7,862.9	8,772.7	9,728.5	10,000.1	10,853.9
Europe and Middle East:							
Belgium and Luxembourg	174.2	181.9	186.5	185.0	197.7	198.9	194.7
Denmark	117.9	116.2	113.5	121.5	139.1	145.5	157.8
France	743.6	762.2	780.8	818.0	892.3	896.0	952.8
Germany, West	174.2	224.9	235.9	271.2	343.9	374.8	372.6
Ireland	28.2	30.8	37.2	41.4	42.6	50.5	50.4
Italy	992.1	925.9	826.7	873.0	919.3	974.4	1,084.6
Netherlands	313.4	365.8	392.1	443.0	523.1	559.6	581.2
United Kingdom 5/	873.6	949.8	1,030.4	1,073.0	1,073.0	1,120.0	1,182.7
Total EC	3,417.2	3,557.5	3,603.1	3,826.1	4,131.0	4,319.7	4,576.8
Austria	53.1	56.3	60.6	63.9	70.7	79.5	82.4
Greece	(4/)	70.1	80.7	95.5	116.0	133.6	151.2
Lebanon	25.0	22.7	25.0	19.1	27.8	29.3	30.4
Switzerland	20.1	22.2	23.5	24.3	26.6	27.0	32.5
Total Europe and Middle East	3,515.4	3,728.8	3,792.9	4,028.9	4,372.1	4,589.1	4,880.0
Asia and Oceania:							
Australia	175.0	182.0	203.0	215.0	254.0	308.0	311.1
Japan	302.9	389.8	465.8	610.7	783.7	875.0	1,108.9
Total	477.9	571.8	668.8	825.7	1,037.7	1,183.0	1,420.0
Grand total	6/ 11,606.7	12,229.3	12,549.9	13,627.3	15,138.3	15,772.2	17,153.9
Grand total, excluding United States	6/ 5,134.7	5,617.3	5,834.9	6,393.3	7,328.3	7,949.2	8,908.9

1/ Includes fryers, roasters, and other young chickens, ready-to-cook basis. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Includes some meat from young chickens from commercial laying flocks. 4/ Not available. 5/ Includes other chicken meat. 6/ Includes estimates for missing data.

Other chicken meat 1/: Production in specified countries, 1966-73

(In million pounds)

Continent and area	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973 2/
North and South America:								
Argentina.....	55.0	55.0	60.5	60.5	64.9	66.4	51.9	63.6
Brazil.....	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)
Canada.....	82.8	80.7	71.3	67.4	72.3	79.1	65.9	77.6
Mexico.....	57.3	61.7	68.3	72.1	68.8	50.7	56.6	57.1
Peru.....	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	13.2	14.3	15.9	20.0
United States.....	831.0	911.0	854.0	826.0	861.0	897.0	857.0	834.0
Venezuela.....	(3/)	9.9	11.0	17.9	18.4	20.5	20.4	24.4
Total.....	1,039.3	1,131.5	1,078.3	1,057.1	1,098.6	1,128.0	1,067.7	1,076.9
Europe and Middle East:								
Belgium and Luxembourg.....	39.7	39.5	40.3	42.1	53.6	56.2	49.4	43.7
Denmark.....	14.3	12.1	10.4	11.7	13.4	8.8	8.6	9.0
France.....	167.3	185.9	204.5	213.8	210.1	217.5	219.4	223.1
Germany, West.....	127.9	134.5	132.3	121.3	127.9	127.9	108.0	110.2
Ireland.....	17.4	15.5	15.2	14.9	13.0	14.1	14.3	15.7
Italy.....	280.6	176.4	223.5	273.4	222.7	196.2	160.9	196.2
Netherlands.....	55.2	51.7	51.7	53.1	61.6	54.8	59.6	57.6
United Kingdom 4/.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total EC.....	702.4	615.6	677.9	730.3	702.3	675.5	620.2	655.5
Asia and Oceania:								
Austria.....	18.5	15.7	15.0	13.7	14.2	14.2	12.7	15.0
Greece.....	(3/)	25.6	26.0	24.3	25.4	26.5	26.5	26.5
Lebanon.....	5.7	7.4	7.7	5.6	6.8	6.5	8.1	11.6
Switzerland.....	5.7	5.5	5.2	5.4	4.4	4.6	4.8	4.8
Total Europe and Middle East.....	732.3	669.8	731.8	779.3	753.1	727.3	672.3	713.4
Asia and Oceania:								
Australia.....	25.0	18.0	21.0	23.0	26.0	29.0	30.9	26.5
Japan.....	226.2	253.7	257.9	271.2	289.9	307.1	258.8	224.7
Total.....	251.2	271.7	278.9	294.2	315.9	336.1	289.7	251.2
Grand total 5/.....	2,085.6	2,135.8	2,151.8	2,193.4	2,230.4	2,254.2	2,092.5	2,104.1
Grand total, excluding United States 5/.....	1,254.6	1,224.8	1,297.8	1,367.4	1,369.4	1,357.2	1,235.5	1,270.1

1/ Primarily meat from birds culled from the laying flocks, ready-to-cook basis. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Not available.

4/ Breakdown of chicken meat not available, included in broiler meat. 5/ Includes estimates for missing data.

Turkey meat 1/: Production in specified countries, 1966-73

Continent and area	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973 <u>2/</u>
(In million pounds)								
North and South America:								
Argentina.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada.....	213.2	207.6	200.4	202.1	225.3	225.9	213.2	235.5
Mexico.....	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	3.1	3.5	4.0	2.9	5.1
Peru.....	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	1.3	1.5
United States.....	1,686.0	1,883.0	1,622.0	1,621.0	1,762.0	1,811.0	1,945.0	1,956.0
Venezuela.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total.....	1,899.2	2,090.6	1,822.4	1,826.2	1,990.8	2,040.9	2,162.4	2,198.1
Europe and Middle East:								
Belgium and Luxembourg <u>4/</u>	1.1	1.3	3.7	3.7	4.2	5.1	4.6	5.5
Denmark.....	7.3	9.5	9.3	8.8	12.1	10.4	11.2	11.7
France.....	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	72.3	106.3	159.4	212.5
Germany, West.....	19.8	22.0	28.7	30.9	35.3	35.3	35.3	37.5
Ireland.....	6.0	5.7	5.8	8.7	8.6	9.7	9.7	9.9
Italy.....	59.5	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	(3/)	198.4	288.1	335.1
Netherlands.....	6.2	8.8	17.3	21.0	26.3	33.2	33.0	30.0
United Kingdom.....	82.9	91.8	121.0	152.3	152.3	159.0	168.0	183.7
Total EC <u>5/</u>	192.8	239.1	326.8	445.4	491.1	557.4	709.3	825.9
Austria.....	.4	.5	1.2	.9	.9	.9	1.1	1.2
Greece.....	(3/)	5.3	4.9	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Lebanon.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Switzerland.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Europe and Middle East.....	193.2	244.9	332.9	450.9	496.4	562.7	714.8	831.5
Asia and Oceania:								
Australia.....	6.0	7.0	7.0	11.0	13.0	12.0	15.0	15.7
Japan.....	-	-	-	-	.9	1.1	-	-
Total.....	6.0	7.0	7.0	11.0	13.9	13.1	15.0	15.7
Grand total.....	2,098.4	2,342.5	2,162.3	2,288.1	2,501.1	2,616.7	2,892.2	3,045.3
Grand total, excluding United States	412.4	459.5	540.3	667.1	739.1	805.7	947.2	1,089.3

1/ Ready-to-cook basis. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Not available. 4/ Includes other poultry meat. 5/ Includes estimates for missing data.

Total poultry meat 1/: Production in specified countries, 1966-73

(In million pounds)

Continent and area	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973 <u>2/</u>
North and South America:								
Argentina.....	334.0	345.4	379.7	400.6	535.0	646.3	767.1	669.9
Brazil.....	272.0	272.0	288.1	310.6	412.0	423.2	535.8	708.0
Canada.....	790.6	815.1	808.6	897.2	985.0	957.3	981.1	1,025.8
Mexico.....	198.4	213.8	229.2	244.3	316.1	444.9	537.9	490.8
Peru.....	71.9	101.5	94.8	97.0	101.4	110.3	139.0	161.1
United States.....	9,041.7	9,456.0	9,241.5	9,736.5	10,490.6	10,586.5	11,103.9	10,925.8
Venezuela.....	102.9	91.4	95.1	122.4	133.4	138.7	159.1	179.6
Total.....	10,811.5	11,295.2	11,137.0	11,808.6	12,973.5	13,307.2	14,223.9	14,161.0
Europe and Middle East:								
Belgium and Luxembourg.....	215.0	222.7	230.5	230.8	255.5	260.2	248.7	243.9
Denmark.....	148.3	146.0	142.4	151.0	174.0	175.7	188.0	198.6
France.....	1,165.9	1,224.4	1,304.1	1,382.4	1,329.8	1,381.3	1,539.9	1,723.4
Germany, West.....	388.0	449.7	463.0	491.7	568.8	599.7	575.4	604.0
Ireland.....	54.3	54.2	60.0	67.2	66.7	76.5	76.6	87.3
Italy.....	1,402.7	1,278.7	1,226.6	1,366.9	1,428.6	1,576.2	1,812.0	1,882.7
Netherlands.....	391.6	444.3	474.0	532.6	630.2	661.4	690.4	714.2
United Kingdom.....	974.4	1,061.8	1,182.8	1,258.9	1,254.4	1,312.6	1,384.3	1,482.9
Total EC.....	4,740.2	4,881.8	5,083.4	5,481.5	5,708.0	6,043.6	6,515.3	6,937.0
Austria.....	75.9	76.4	80.3	81.5	89.2	98.1	98.9	108.9
Greece.....	90.2	102.4	113.0	125.8	146.6	165.3	189.6	182.9
Lebanon.....	30.7	30.1	32.7	24.7	34.6	35.8	38.5	42.2
Poland.....	228.2	236.8	252.0	272.7	282.0	305.3	348.9	398.2
Spain.....	468.5	567.2	565.5	655.0	697.5	701.7	725.3	760.6
Switzerland.....	25.8	27.7	28.7	29.7	31.0	33.6	37.3	39.2
Yugoslavia.....	194.0	209.4	235.9	264.5	313.0	326.3	317.5	344.0
Total Europe and Middle East.....	5,853.5	6,131.8	6,391.5	6,935.4	7,301.9	7,709.7	8,271.3	8,813.0
Asia and Oceania:								
Australia.....	210.0	210.0	235.0	253.0	297.0	354.0	361.9	374.4
Japan.....	529.1	643.5	723.7	881.9	1,074.5	1,183.2	1,367.7	1,518.8
Total.....	739.1	853.5	958.7	1,134.9	1,371.5	1,537.2	1,729.6	1,893.2
Grand total.....	17,404.1	18,280.5	18,487.2	19,878.9	21,646.9	22,554.1	24,224.8	24,867.2
Grand total, excluding United States.....	8,362.4	8,824.5	9,245.7	10,142.4	11,156.3	11,967.6	13,120.9	13,941.4

1/ Includes chicken meat, turkey meat, ducks, geese, and guinea fowl, ready-to-cook basis. 2/ Preliminary.

Poultry meat ^{1/}: Per capita consumption in specified countries, 1966-72

Continent and area	(Pounds)									
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973 ^{2/}		
North and South America:										
Argentina.....	14.7	15.0	16.2	16.8	22.1	26.4	30.9	26.6		
Brazil.....	3.2	3.1	3.2	5.1	4.4	4.4	5.4	6.9		
Canada.....	39.3	40.8	39.9	43.1	45.8	44.5	45.8	46.2		
Mexico.....	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.2	6.5	8.8	10.3	8.9		
Peru.....	6.1	8.2	7.4	7.4	7.5	8.2	9.6	10.8		
United States ^{3/}	43.9	45.8	45.4	47.4	49.7	49.9	52.1	50.1		
Venezuela.....	11.4	9.8	9.8	12.2	12.8	12.9	14.5	15.1		
Europe and Middle East:										
Belgium and Luxembourg.....	16.4	15.9	18.0	18.5	19.6	20.7	20.8	20.8		
Denmark.....	8.6	8.4	8.4	8.6	11.0	11.4	11.8	14.6		
France.....	22.8	24.0	25.5	26.8	25.2	25.7	28.0	30.4		
Germany, West.....	14.8	15.8	16.6	17.1	18.2	19.5	19.7	22.8		
Ireland.....	18.7	18.2	20.2	22.6	22.1	25.1	24.6	26.0		
Italy.....	27.0	24.7	23.4	26.0	26.9	29.5	33.9	35.0		
Netherlands.....	9.6	10.9	11.1	11.2	12.6	13.1	14.5	15.4		
United Kingdom.....	18.6	20.0	21.8	23.0	23.3	24.2	25.4	26.5		
Austria.....	14.2	14.2	15.0	15.0	16.4	16.9	16.2	17.7		
Greece.....	13.5	14.7	14.8	16.3	17.7	19.3	21.6	21.5		
Lebanon.....	11.2	10.5	10.1	8.0	11.5	11.7	12.3	13.0		
Poland.....	5.9	6.3	6.6	7.6	8.0	7.4	9.1	10.6		
Spain.....	14.9	17.6	17.4	19.8	20.6	20.8	21.6	22.2		
Switzerland.....	12.5	12.3	12.7	13.4	13.7	13.7	14.7	15.6		
Yugoslavia.....	9.8	10.6	12.4	13.0	15.3	15.8	15.4	17.2		
Asia and Oceania:										
Australia.....	18.2	17.7	19.3	20.7	23.4	27.2	27.9	28.7		
Japan.....	5.4	6.6	7.4	8.7	10.7	11.5	13.6	14.4		

^{1/} Includes consumption of ducks, geese, and other poultry, ready-to-cook basis. ^{2/} Preliminary.^{3/} Chicken and turkey meat only.

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U.S. TRADE IN POULTRY AND EGGS UP IN 1973

U.S. exports of poultry products in 1973 were valued at \$113.8 million, an increase of 33 percent over the 1972 value. Much of this increase came from increases in unit values, although volume in most major categories also increased. Poultry meat accounted for 62 percent of the total value in 1973; eggs and egg products for 18 percent; and live poultry, including baby chicks, for 20 percent.

U.S. sales to the European Community (EC) in 1973 increased 56 percent in value to \$26.9 million. Of this total, poultry meat (largely turkey and turkey parts) accounted for \$21.7 million, eggs and egg products for \$3.5 million, and live poultry for \$1.6 million. The largest single EC market was West Germany. Sales in 1973 to the United Kingdom totaled \$4.2 million, largely poultry meat, but included substantial quantities of dried eggs.

Total poultry and egg sales to Japan and Hong Kong, major U.S. markets in the Far East, were valued at \$14.6 million and \$7.4 million, respectively, in 1973. Shipments to Japan included \$10 million of poultry meat, mainly chicken parts, as well as substantial quantities of baby chicks and egg products. Exports to Hong Kong were almost exclusively poultry meat.

The Caribbean area continued to expand as a major market for U.S. poultry and poultry products. In 1973, U.S. sales reached \$18.9 million, up 27 percent from those of a year earlier. Over two-thirds of the 1973 value was in poultry meat, with the balance being mostly hatching eggs and baby chicks. Major Caribbean markets in 1973 were Jamaica, \$5.8 million; Netherlands Antilles, \$3.2 million; Leeward and Windward Islands, \$2.7 million; Bermuda, \$2 million; Barbados, \$1.4 million; and Bahamas, \$1.3 million.

Exports, consisting mainly of broiler meat, to Lebanon and the Persian Gulf area, increased by 81 percent in value to \$1.5 million. Total exports to Singapore were \$895,000, up 70 percent.

Poultry Meat

Total exports of poultry meat reached 168 million pounds in 1973—up about 8 percent in quantity and 46 percent in value, compared with 1972 levels. Most of the gain was attributable to larger shipments of turkey meat—up by 13 million pounds—in contrast to a slight decline in the volume of chicken meat. The value of turkey meat exports increased by 65 percent. However, chicken meat remained the most important export category in 1973, totaling 96.1 million pounds and \$35.2 million, a 39 percent increase in value. Chicken parts comprised 82 percent of the volume of chicken meat exported in 1973. Whole broilers accounted for almost 16 percent.

Despite a 5 percent decline from its 1972 import level, the Caribbean (including Bermuda) remained the most important destination for chicken meat exports, accounting for a total of 35.4 million pounds in 1973. About 89 percent of this quantity consisted of parts.

Total chicken meat exports to Japan, the second largest market for chicken meat, increased by over 25 percent to 21.1 million pounds, mostly parts. Shipments to Hong Kong, also consisting mainly of parts (largely wings), decreased by 10 percent to 15.7 million pounds in 1973.

Mexico, Austria, and Japan were the main destinations for whole broilers in 1973. Whole broiler shipments to Switzerland fell from 7.9 million pounds in 1972 to 1.1 million in 1973, when the U.S. export subsidy program was discontinued.

West Germany's imports of U.S. turkey meat in 1973 increased by 57 percent to 25 million pounds, accounting for about half of total U.S. turkey meat exports. Italy, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom also imported substantial amounts of U.S. turkey meat, bringing total EC imports to 32.8 million pounds, up 45 percent from those of 1972. As a market for U.S. turkey, Canada

ranked second to the EC, importing 6.1 million pounds in 1973, and was followed by Switzerland.

U.S. exports of fresh or frozen poultry meat, not elsewhere classified (n.e.c.), totaled 7 million pounds in 1973 and went principally to West Germany, Hong Kong, Canada, and the Netherlands Antilles. West Germany, with 3.5 million pounds, was by far the most important market for poultry liver.

Exports of poultry specialty items totaled 7.7 million pounds (\$3 million) in 1973—up 55 percent in volume and 58 percent in value over 1972 levels. Exports went principally to Canada—4.2 million pounds; United Kingdom—1.8 million; Venezuela—739,000 pounds; and the Caribbean countries—422,000.

Canned poultry meat exports in 1973 totaled 2.8 million pounds (\$1.4 million), down 58 percent in volume and 37 percent in value from 1972 levels. Shipments went principally to Canada—1.3 million pounds, West Germany—345,000 pounds, and Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands—191,000 pounds.

Eggs and Egg Products

Exports of eggs and egg products were valued at \$21 million—24 percent above the 1972 export value of \$17 million. Shell egg exports totaled 14.8 million dozen, about the same as those of the previous year. Shipments to Canada dropped from 1.8 million dozen in 1972 to 1.2 million in 1973, but larger quantities of shell eggs went to Bermuda, Leeward and Windward Islands, and Japan.

Exports of hatching eggs totaled 12 million dozen, slightly above the 1972 volume. Canada, the Dominican Republic, and Jamaica were the principal destinations in North America. Exports to South America (mainly Guyana, Surinam, Argentina, and Ecuador), totaled 829,000 dozen. Most of the balance of 1973 exports went to EC countries.

Exports of dried eggs decreased slightly to 2.5 million pounds, down from 2.7 million in 1972. Exports to principal 1973 destinations, with comparable 1972 volume in parentheses were as follows (in 1,000 pounds); EC, 1,055 (1,370); Switzerland, 452 (447); Japan, 302 (353); Greece, 201 (41); and Australia, 119 (200).

Exports of frozen and otherwise preserved eggs totaled 2.2 million pounds, up sharply from the 1.5 million exported in 1972. Japan was the principal destination, accounting for nearly all of the trade.

Live Poultry

Exports of baby chicks in 1973 numbered 30.2 million, valued at \$19.3 million. This was lightly higher (1 percent) than the number exported in 1972. The value of exports, however, was 5 percent above that of 1972. Canada, the Bahamas, Surinam, Nicaragua, and Honduras accounted for about two-thirds of the total trade. Shipments to South America, at 3.5 million, were about the same as those of 1972. Exports to European destinations (1.9 million) and Japan (1.8 million) were below 1972 levels.

Turkey poult exports increased to 1.4 million head, up 39 percent over 1972, largely because of larger purchases by Canada and Mexico. *

Imports

U.S. imports of poultry and poultry products totaled \$11.8 million in 1973, almost three times the value of 1972 imports. Most of the increase was due to substantial imports of shell eggs and live poultry from Canada. Imports of shell eggs totaled 13.8 million dozen, compared with 1.8 million in 1972.

Poultry meat imports, largely from Canada, totaled only 250,000 pounds, slightly more than those of 1972. Imports of baby chicks from Canada totaled about 3 million in 1973, compared with 3.3 million in 1972.

Outlook

The value of U.S. exports of poultry and poultry products during the first 7 months of 1974 was \$80.8 million, 47 percent above the January-July 1973 total. Exports of all meat categories were on the plus side, with young whole chickens taking the lead, up 163 percent over those for the same period in 1973. However, with the imposition since about midyear of higher EC import charges for broilers, turkey, and other poultry products, poultry exports to that major market are likely to be significantly lower in the second half of 1974.

Table 1.--Poultry products: U.S. exports, quantity and value,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COMMODITY	QUANTITY (IN 1,000 POUNDS UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 ¹ /	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 ¹ /
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH OR FROZEN ² :								
YOUNG CHICKENS.....	68,640	100,542	94,118	93,796	17,646	25,386	24,316	34,365
FOWL.....	1,531	1,440	3,200	2,315	445	496	969	876
TURKEYS.....	32,345	23,031	36,390	49,651	11,137	9,456	15,012	24,762
POULTRY, NEC.....	6,329	3,566	5,225	7,036	2,345	1,436	2,003	3,825
POULTRY LIVER.....	4,504	4,417	4,732	5,065	1,367	1,347	1,599	1,978
POULTRY SPECIALTIES ³ /...	2,551	3,151	4,957	7,694	1,054	1,375	1,891	2,991
TOTAL ¹ /.....	115,900	136,148	148,623	165,557	33,994	39,495	45,791	68,797
CANNED POULTRY.....								
	10,333	3,647	6,581	2,797	2,898	1,013	2,258	1,433
TOTAL POULTRY MEAT ¹ /.....	126,233	139,795	155,204	168,354	36,892	40,508	48,049	70,230
EGGS:								
MARKET (IN 1000 DOZEN).....	5,705	1,057	3,111	2,795	2,146	417	1,186	1,586
HATCHING (IN 1000 DOZEN)...	12,088	11,788	11,815	12,040	10,756	12,090	12,208	14,628
DRIED.....	630	738	2,656	2,485	708	875	2,987	3,482
FROZEN OR OTHERWISE PRES.. ³	478	131	1,495	2,204	235	58	639	1,337
TOTAL ¹ /.....	---	---	---	---	13,844	13,441	17,020	21,032
LIVE POULTRY:								
BABY CHICKS (IN THOUSANDS) ..	11,025	28,831	30,511	30,246	7,220	19,380	18,446	19,311
TURKEY POUL (IN THOUSANDS)	641	512	976	1,356	528	448	618	772
OTHER.....	6,444	1,778	4,083	6,236	2,423	1,077	1,596	2,430
TOTAL ¹ /.....	---	---	---	---	10,171	20,905	20,660	22,512
TOTAL POULTRY AND EGGS ¹ /.	---	---	---	---	60,908	74,854	85,729	113,774

¹/ Preliminary. ²/ Whole or parts. ³/ Beginning 1970, includes rendered poultry fat. ¹/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 2.--Young chickens, whole, fresh, or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 ¹	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 ¹
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	647	148	156	15 ²	209	56	66	87
BARBADOS.....	410	261	985	374	74	61	209	137
BELIZE 2/.....	681	448	196	112	172	135	60	41
BERMUDA.....	312	513	160	797	127	212	66	344
CANADA.....	1,646	1,568	1,807	980	636	473	709	501
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	129	0	322	38	44	0	99	8
HAITI.....	0	0	0	79	0	0	0	42
HONOLULU.....	22	3	0	0	5	1	0	0
JAMAICA.....	514	880	1,346	355	93	142	216	150
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	542	429	541	784	136	119	157	270
MEXICO.....	1,364	1,064	1,724	3,202	370	278	460	1,193
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	656	830	718	603	208	288	263	257
NICARAGUA.....	2	0	54	0	0	0	6	0
PANAMA.....	31	22	16	34	11	8	6	16
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	1	2	32	1	0	1	14	1
OTHER.....	3	4	0	4	1	1	0	2
TOTAL 3/.....	7,008	6,173	8,057	7,520	2,086	1,773	2,331	3,049
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	52	20	0	0	18	8	0	0
CHILE.....	154	0	0	658	43	0	0	289
COLOMBIA.....	33	245	71	0	11	87	24	0
PERU.....	36	3,859	4	0	12	1,364	2	0
SURINAM.....	38	0	0	15	9	0	0	6
VENEZUELA.....	5	0	0	2	1	0	0	2
OTHER.....	10	6	0	0	3	2	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	327	4,131	75	676	97	1,461	26	297
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEM-BOURG.....	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	13	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	206	298	46	23	54	114	17	16
ITALY.....	9	0	71	50	2	0	18	27
NETHERLANDS.....	127	0	70	37	39	0	28	10
UNITED KINGDOM.....	77	23	13	175	21	7	7	87
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	441	322	200	284	123	121	70	141
AUSTRIA.....	66	38	0	0	24	16	0	0
GREECE.....	973	1,198	1,193	2,120	260	285	263	992
MALTA-GOZO.....	0	0	0	516	0	0	0	207
SWITZERLAND.....	5,749	6,877	7,902	1,089	1,884	2,471	2,459	358
OTHER.....	17	0	4	5	6	0	1	3
TOTAL 3/.....	7,244	8,435	9,298	4,014	2,296	2,893	2,794	1,702
AFRICA:								
GUINEA.....	0	0	3	6	0	0	2	2
LIBERIA.....	49	32	17	0	17	15	8	0
LIBYA.....	5	7	0	0	2	4	0	0
OTHER.....	22	1	0	0	7	1	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	76	40	20	6	26	20	10	2
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
ARABIAN PEN. ST. NEC.....	107	19	0	0	35	11	0	0
BAHRAIN.....	26	12	50	22	9	4	18	11
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	546	77	69	173	169	27	39	83
HONG KONG.....	1,327	1,319	838	320	295	293	184	119
JAPAN.....	829	648	798	1,331	263	200	260	464
KUWAIT.....	171	158	2	29	80	88	1	15
MARSHALL ISLANDS, NEC.....	607	94	18	0	182	39	7	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	44	15	0	0	12	4	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	238	90	99	252	92	54	40	153
SINGAPORE.....	137	285	2	17	39	80	1	8
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS.....	309	861	853	808	96	253	274	359
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES.....	0	0	22	28	0	0	12	20
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	0	7	43	0	0	2	17
OTHER.....	97	29	0	8	30	11	0	5
TOTAL 3/.....	4,437	3,607	2,779	3,030	1,300	1,064	838	1,253
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	19,094	22,385	20,229	15,245	5,807	7,211	6,000	6,302

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 3.--Fowl, whole, fresh, or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	178	56	13	33	59	20	5	6
BARBADOS.....	22	9	57	0	4	3	23	0
BELIZE 2/.....	3	59	13	0	0	15	4	0
BERMUDA.....	20	166	81	104	8	71	30	46
CANADA.....	275	32	263	572	85	10	83	169
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	16	0	76	2	4	0	21	1
JAMAICA.....	25	13	18	37	4	4	6	17
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	23	53	95	134	5	11	21	54
MEXICO.....	42	29	40	27	12	6	12	9
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	80	18	265	227	27	5	82	100
OTHER.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	586	434	923	1,135	210	145	285	402
SOUTH AMERICA:								
1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	7	6	0	0	3	2	0	0
FRANCE.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	12	0	0	55	1	0	0	17
ITALY.....	0	0	0	31	0	0	0	15
NETHERLANDS.....	21	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	19	5	15	0	4	1	4	0
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	50	11	15	86	14	3	4	32
FINLAND.....	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
GREECE.....	6	173	34	105	2	44	10	21
SWITZERLAND.....	294	562	2,088	423	90	220	622	147
OTHER.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	367	747	2,137	614	108	267	636	200
AFRICA:								
LIBERIA.....	13	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
OTHER.....	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	14	0	1	0	5	0	1	0
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	20	8	16	4	7	2	5	2
HONG KONG.....	22	49	0	156	6	11	0	82
JAPAN.....	266	75	36	137	57	30	15	64
KUWAIT.....	11	0	0	110	4	0	0	48
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	45	10	0	0	14	4	0	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	7	18	0	0	2	5	0	0
SINGAPORE.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	38	92	70	137	11	26	21	70
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	0	9	11	0	0	2	5
OTHER.....	54	8	7	11	19	5	4	3
TOTAL 3/.....	463	259	137	566	122	84	47	275
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	1,531	1,440	3,200	2,315	445	496	969	876

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 4.--Chicken parts, fresh or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	248	147	14	128	92	69	43	61
BARBADOS.....	3,052	6,344	5,541	2,157	563	1,417	1,279	720
BELIZE 2/.....	615	937	531	125	116	189	99	19
BERMUDA.....	1,025	1,244	1,797	1,390	356	413	631	637
CANADA.....	389	239	2,143	4,177	135	68	388	911
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	1	10	38	46	3	13	18	18
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	22	44	57	58	5	17	20	23
HONDURAS.....	46	51	6	3	7	8	2	0
JAMAICA.....	5,448	15,779	12,223	17,157	508	1,686	1,372	3,675
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	4,182	7,753	8,389	6,496	800	1,581	1,704	1,945
MEXICO.....	26	156	148	486	5	24	18	101
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	2,366	4,147	4,193	4,241	777	1,461	1,558	1,999
PANAMA.....	3	3	3	14	1	1	1	5
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	7	45	31	31	1	5	13	8
OTHER.....	26	3	15	1	3	1	5	1
TOTAL 3/.....	17,447	36,900	35,218	36,502	3,371	6,942	7,146	10,124
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	0	30	0	0	0	3	0	0
CHILE.....	3	4	0	0	1	2	0	0
COLOMBIA.....	5	20	0	0	1	4	0	0
FRENCH GUIANA.....	12	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
PERU.....	0	602	0	0	0	96	0	0
SURINAM.....	874	1,157	1,227	585	93	123	129	137
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	894	1,813	1,227	585	99	229	129	137
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	32	64	84	18	13	27	39	13
FRANCE.....	27	80	43	10	7	22	13	6
GERMANY, WEST.....	3,897	2,427	763	439	736	592	200	268
IRELAND.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69
ITALY.....	157	232	30	125	57	73	13	404
NETHERLANDS.....	339	69	12	52	75	18	4	15
UNITED KINGDOM.....	296	88	403	1,393	72	25	142	549
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	4,748	2,960	1,335	2,945	960	758	410	1,324
AUSTRIA.....	342	153	41	148	108	54	16	86
GIBALTAR.....	31	32	12	62	14	11	7	50
GREECE.....	906	584	209	402	165	127	63	159
MALTA-GOZO.....	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	24
PORTUGAL.....	0	0	24	0	0	0	6	0
SWEDEN.....	13	0	293	3	3	0	80	1
SWITZERLAND.....	809	469	784	741	302	201	284	308
OTHER.....	6	0	0	16	2	0	0	4
TOTAL 3/.....	6,854	4,198	2,698	4,354	1,553	1,150	866	1,956
AFRICA:								
GHANA.....	50	0	0	0	11	0	0	0
LIBERIA.....	79	235	121	95	36	83	51	41
LIBYA.....	63	105	47	0	31	29	21	0
OTHER.....	95	12	2	5	30	2	2	3
TOTAL 3/.....	287	352	170	100	108	114	75	44
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
ARABIAN PEN. ST. NEC.....	31	25	0	0	13	13	0	0
AUSTRALIA.....	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
BAHRAIN.....	34	47	62	91	13	23	29	49
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN).....	7	0	0	35	2	0	0	8
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	247	163	101	239	90	59	40	123
HONG KONG.....	10,975	16,305	16,650	15,181	2,251	3,337	3,641	5,754
JAPAN.....	8,063	16,520	15,985	19,666	2,787	5,696	5,725	8,978
KUWAIT.....	83	79	84	184	37	23	40	98
MACAU.....	457	75	137	94	126	23	42	38
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	2,741	936	665	0	951	339	248	0
PHILIPPINES.....	4	38	0	0	2	8	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	196	73	240	510	90	42	117	285
SINGAPORE.....	1,132	552	538	752	315	144	176	337
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS.....	38	51	53	208	13	19	21	87
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES.....	0	0	17	38	0	0	9	25
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	0	38	24	0	0	10	17
OTHER.....	52	30	7	8	17	13	4	4
TOTAL 3/.....	24,063	34,894	34,576	37,011	6,709	9,740	10,100	15,802
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	49,546	78,157	73,889	78,551	11,840	18,175	18,316	28,063

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 5.--Turkeys, whole, fresh or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	454	415	360	412	192	194	173	308
BARBADOS.....	56	85	144	162	28	41	58	88
BELIZE 2/.....	33	13	42	39	13	6	18	29
BERMUDA.....	351	144	412	416	144	62	183	295
CANADA.....	425	70	3,491	3,799	136	28	1,265	1,776
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	29	61	58	18	9	20	23	7
JAMAICA.....	176	65	192	94	78	38	85	61
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	53	62	82	71	22	22	35	43
MEXICO.....	101	14	43	55	32	5	16	16
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	73	67	55	105	28	28	25	65
PANAMA.....	57	89	243	79	32	42	131	38
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	202	220	252	11	68	88	104	10
OTHER.....	16	10	14	23	4	6	5	16
TOTAL 3/.....	2,039	1,315	5,390	5,286	785	579	2,120	2,752
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
ECUADOR.....	0	102	0	0	0	11	0	0
GUYANA.....	7	5	0	0	4	2	0	0
SURINAM.....	5	3	3	9	2	2	1	9
VENEZUELA.....	10	25	41	26	5	11	21	19
OTHER.....	4	3	5	6	15	2	4	5
TOTAL 3/.....	75	139	49	41	29	28	26	32
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	166	43	52	111	61	20	22	71
DENMARK.....	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	22
FRANCE.....	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	1
GERMANY, WEST.....	3,194	852	1,345	2,933	1,038	267	417	1,269
ITALY.....	1,030	978	728	781	359	391	277	332
NETHERLANDS.....	492	89	283	395	174	30	104	219
UNITED KINGDOM.....	199	292	164	366	131	234	167	171
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	5,087	2,254	2,571	4,605	1,766	942	986	2,084
AUSTRIA.....	192	95	306	68	63	40	124	37
FINLAND.....	0	0	0	72	0	0	0	36
GREECE.....	158	219	214	294	54	72	68	112
MALTA-GOZO.....	17	61	36	28	6	22	18	25
NORWAY.....	1	0	6	66	0	0	6	32
PORTUGAL.....	0	0	2	26	0	0	3	9
SPAIN.....	24	13	0	1	15	10	7	1
SWITZERLAND.....	287	267	356	407	101	121	141	207
OTHER.....	19	0	2	0	6	0	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	5,744	2,904	3,502	5,565	2,011	1,207	1,354	2,543
AFRICA:								
CANARY ISLANDS.....	79	144	169	5	32	48	61	18
GHANA.....	20	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
LIBERIA.....	18	4	16	3	7	2	7	2
NIGERIA.....	5	0	0	0	2	18	0	0
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA.....	1	0	0	39	1	0	0	19
Togo.....	0	24	29	0	0	3	3	0
OTHER.....	44	5	4	2	19	2	2	1
TOTAL 3/.....	167	228	219	93	66	74	73	41
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
BAHRAIN.....	18	22	32	2	8	10	13	13
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLAND.....	38	14	29	75	15	8	17	48
HONG KONG.....	763	629	665	557	205	172	204	284
INDIA.....	10	0	0	6	5	0	0	6
ISRAEL.....	27	0	0	0	13	0	0	0
JAPAN.....	310	284	493	665	102	118	199	390
KUWAIT.....	86	106	83	21	34	44	35	10
LEBANON.....	68	52	48	37	27	24	40	23
MALAYSIA.....	116	53	116	162	38	19	42	93
MARSHALL ISLANDS.....	23	13	0	0	9	6	0	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	7	11	0	138	3	3	0	50
PHILIPPINES.....	59	0	0	0	26	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	51	37	76	50	23	19	39	43
SINGAPORE.....	221	66	306	505	72	26	102	285
TERRITORY OF PACIFIC IS.....	26	128	253	60	7	23	64	14
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES.....	0	0	46	14	0	0	18	10
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	0	21	68	0	0	0	17
OTHER.....	44	8	32	18	20	5	16	12
TOTAL 3/.....	1,878	1,423	2,200	2,395	608	476	794	1,298
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	9,939	6,013	11,359	13,380	3,499	2,343	4,367	6,665

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 6.--Turkey parts, fresh or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	172	144	160	191	70	56	59	91
BARBADOS.....	73	45	115	394	25	16	58	156
BERMUDA.....	75	67	55	81	40	47	56	64
CANADA.....	216	110	1,294	2,328	78	35	427	992
JAMAICA.....	67	59	116	233	23	35	65	129
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	14	33	35	16	5	6	13	15
MEXICO.....	6	39	29	75	2	6	8	18
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	21	6	11	9	9	4	8	8
PANAMA.....	36	8	36	94	21	6	45	48
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	19	20	50	51	7	15	24	27
OTHER.....	10	0	4	2	4	0	1	3
TOTAL 2/.....	710	531	1,904	3,474	283	226	763	1,553
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	3	0	33	0	2	0	29	0
SURINAM.....	4	0	2	3	1	0	1	2
VENEZUELA.....	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
OTHER.....	16	1	0	0	5	1	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	29	1	34	3	11	1	30	2
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	488	431	335	438	171	175	134	260
DENMARK.....	10	50	33	63	3	23	21	36
FRANCE.....	15	10	0	235	6	2	0	168
GERMANY, WEST.....	16,244	11,800	14,543	22,018	5,214	4,433	5,510	10,992
ITALY.....	922	609	1,817	1,339	443	371	850	554
NETHERLANDS.....	1,314	616	1,271	1,667	453	244	494	902
UNITED KINGDOM.....	485	985	2,032	2,414	244	879	1,739	1,791
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	19,478	14,501	20,030	28,174	6,533	6,127	8,748	14,704
AUSTRIA.....	127	176	210	201	48	77	93	124
FINLAND.....	0	0	0	123	0	0	0	62
GREECE.....	297	18	177	471	69	2	34	100
MALTA-GUZO.....	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
NORWAY.....	2	20	4	6	2	7	4	6
SWEDEN.....	582	254	314	298	417	258	252	192
SWITZERLAND.....	57	304	480	1,392	35	153	209	589
OTHER.....	0	0	14	0	0	0	7	0
TOTAL 2/.....	20,552	15,272	21,229	30,666	7,108	6,624	9,348	15,777
AFRICA:								
GHANA.....	342	559	44	55	52	98	6	17
LIBERIA.....	1	0	11	7	1	0	9	6
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA.....	0	0	4	36	0	0	2	25
TOGO.....	13	128	433	741	2	20	76	194
OTHER.....	15	1	5	13	6	1	2	7
TOTAL 2/.....	372	688	497	850	61	119	95	248
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	4	0	9	2	8	9	3	3
HONG KONG.....	558	439	1,228	807	114	84	357	308
ISRAEL.....	2	0	0	28	1	0	0	10
JAPAN.....	61	36	2	261	15	12	2	109
KUWAIT.....	4	2	1	0	2	2	1	0
LEBANON.....	11	0	16	0	5	0	8	0
MALAYSIA.....	10	9	1	0	4	3	2	0
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	16	2	0	0	6	1	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	20	4	8	36	12	2	3	27
SINGAPORE.....	4	3	10	13	1	4	9	14
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS.....	41	21	79	74	8	0	14	26
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	0	8	40	0	0	1	9
OTHER.....	15	1	4	15	4	1	4	11
TOTAL 2/.....	744	526	1,367	1,278	175	124	408	517
TOTAL 2/.....	22,406	17,018	25,031	36,271	7,638	7,092	10,645	18,097

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 7.--Poultry, fresh or frozen, other than chickens and turkeys 1/:
U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 <u>2</u> /	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 <u>2</u> /
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	98	77	164	102	55	43	82	83
BARBADOS.....	268	24	50	51	65	15	19	25
BELIZE <u>3</u> /.....	1	0	188	72	0	0	35	18
BERMUDA.....	132	129	65	172	66	65	31	129
CANADA.....	1,964	1,336	1,232	1,074	894	608	595	582
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	3	0	110	0	1	0	32	0
HAITI.....	0	2	7	43	0	1	3	22
JAMAICA.....	269	168	128	74	97	84	32	46
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	118	20	65	96	39	15	23	69
MEXICO.....	48	14	3	12	17	4	2	8
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	217	108	1,094	1,043	73	44	398	555
PANAMA.....	19	21	60	22	10	13	28	17
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	50	11	34	1	17	4	15	1
OTHER.....	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL <u>4</u> /.....	3,187	1,915	3,201	2,762	1,336	897	1,294	1,555
SOUTH AMERICA.....								
	15	23	6	10	8	6	7	8
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBURG.....	16	0	0	32	5	0	0	10
FRANCE.....	12	1	0	2	4	1	0	2
GERMANY, WEST.....	459	12	1	1,732	130	5	1	1,025
IRELAND.....	0	0	3	1	0	0	5	1
ITALY.....	60	3	4	126	23	3	4	82
NETHERLANDS.....	77	1	0	74	22	1	0	39
UNITED KINGDOM.....	22	3	40	9	11	4	42	17
TOTAL EC-9 <u>4</u> /.....	646	19	47	1,976	196	13	52	1,177
AUSTRIA.....	152	0	0	35	45	0	0	24
GREECE.....	32	6	0	125	7	2	0	36
SWITZERLAND.....	107	17	0	46	33	5	0	32
OTHER.....	8	8	0	14	4	10	0	17
TOTAL EUROPE <u>4</u> /.....	945	50	47	2,197	284	31	52	1,286
AFRICA:								
LIBERIA.....	23	4	1	68	10	3	1	38
TOGO.....	0	51	146	40	0	6	32	6
OTHER.....	21	3	6	8	10	1	2	7
TOTAL <u>4</u> /.....	43	58	153	116	20	10	35	51
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS....	137	115	180	187	76	66	97	146
HONG KONG.....	1,239	1,215	1,427	1,519	334	345	420	671
JAPAN.....	290	56	127	146	98	30	63	49
KUWAIT.....	109	0	0	0	46	0	0	0
MALAYSIA.....	15	0	7	30	6	0	3	15
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	92	94	28	0	34	32	11	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	18	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	41	0	0	0	20	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	70	0	3	10	32	0	2	9
SINGAPORE.....	63	4	12	4	18	2	7	3
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	8	31	26	43	2	12	5	21
OTHER.....	57	5	7	13	29	3	6	11
TOTAL <u>4</u> /.....	2,139	1,521	1,818	1,951	698	492	614	925
GRAND TOTAL <u>4</u> /.....	6,329	3,566	5,225	7,036	2,345	1,436	2,003	3,825

1/ Includes ducks, geese, guinea hens, and rock cornish hens. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 4/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 8.--Poultry liver: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	QUANTITY (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				VALUE (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	6	13	9	2	4	10	6	2
BARBADOS.....	1	0	1	72	1	0	1	38
CANADA.....	95	3	0	83	39	5	0	25
GUATEMALA.....	0	0	12	0	0	0	1	0
JAMAICA.....	9	8	0	0	5	2	0	0
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	4	7	12	64	2	2	4	38
MEXICO.....	2	2	0	0	2	1	0	0
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	9	29	84	28	5	18	39	14
OTHER.....	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	128	63	118	250	60	39	51	117
SOUTH AMERICA:								
.....	6	15	4	0	1	3	2	0
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	9	15	57	24	2	5	18	7
FRANCE.....	687	365	283	539	194	103	79	228
GERMANY, WEST.....	3,125	3,615	3,915	3,471	939	1,077	1,321	1,257
ITALY.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	209	122	109	220	62	40	39	101
UNITED KINGDOM.....	5	0	0	39	1	0	0	9
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	4,036	4,117	4,365	4,292	1,199	1,224	1,457	1,602
AUSTRIA.....	114	0	20	0	36	0	8	0
FINLAND.....	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	11
GREECE.....	17	0	38	74	5	0	15	22
SWITZERLAND.....	15	0	0	29	2	0	0	9
OTHER.....	13	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	4,185	4,117	4,422	4,424	1,245	1,224	1,480	1,645
AFRICA:								
GHANA.....	18	0	9	8	3	0	8	6
TOGO.....	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0
OTHER.....	5	1	1	0	2	2	1	0
TOTAL 2/.....	23	1	20	8	5	2	11	6
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
AUSTRALIA.....	0	0	16	0	0	0	10	0
HONG KONG.....	102	211	142	195	32	75	38	86
ISRAEL.....	0	0	0	167	0	0	0	117
JAPAN.....	6	0	0	9	2	0	0	2
MALAYSIA.....	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	4	1	6	9	2	1	4	4
SINGAPORE.....	10	8	3	0	5	4	3	0
OTHER.....	37	0	0	3	14	0	0	1
TOTAL 2/.....	163	220	167	383	56	79	55	209
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	4,504	4,417	4,732	5,065	1,367	1,347	1,599	1,978

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 9.--Poultry specialties 1/: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POU-DS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 2/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 2/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	78	67	49	69	40	33	30	53
BARBADOS.....	3	1	19	1	2	1	12	1
BERMUDA.....	54	75	89	65	34	51	58	36
CANADA.....	1,172	1,712	2,367	4,204	327	565	954	1,970
GUATEMALA.....	5	11	59	71	5	7	26	28
JAMAICA.....	46	42	19	26	19	37	15	18
LEEWARD-WINOWARO IS.....	17	33	1	23	7	13	1	38
MEXICO.....	22	26	16	12	4	8	3	4
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	18	103	88	19	11	44	47	19
PANAMA.....	7	26	6	17	8	23	5	3
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	5	3	6	3	3	3	3	5
OTHER.....	7	0	10	10	2	0	5	5
TOTAL 3/.....	1,634	2,98	2,729	4,718	461	773	1,158	2,176
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	1	44	44	19	0	17	17	10
PERU.....	4	14	22	29	2	7	9	12
VENEZUELA.....	32	222	420	739	14	89	146	301
OTHER.....	3	0	0	2	1	0	0	1
TOTAL 3/.....	39	28	485	790	16	113	172	325
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	1	5	5	25	1	0	8	15
DENMARK.....	4	3	35	0	1	28	32	0
FRANCE.....	3	2	0	0	1	1	0	1
GERMANY, WEST.....	312	191	216	0	151	138	177	0
IRELAND.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
ITALY.....	8	2	4	0	4	2	1	0
NETHERLANDS.....	47	62	28	0	30	49	24	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	308	88	1,217	1,802	125	21	201	319
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	684	175	1,495	1,828	315	238	443	335
MALTA-GOZO.....	0	4	0	37	0	3	0	22
NORWAY.....	9	17	13	21	9	16	11	9
SWEDEN.....	66	95	50	1	56	94	20	3
SWITZERLAND.....	42	37	0	113	20	14	0	28
OTHER.....	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0
TOTAL 3/.....	812	529	1,560	1,999	400	365	475	397
AFRICA:								
LIBERIA.....	4	1	1	26	2	1	1	17
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA..	6	13	18	0	3	5	5	0
TOGO.....	7	26	0	0	2	5	0	0
OTHER.....	5	3	0	0	2	1	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	22	41	19	26	9	12	6	17
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
AUSTRALIA.....	15	12	8	1	12	13	4	0
BAHRAIN.....	9	8	32	28	4	4	14	9
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	4	11	11	7	4	13	10	9
HONG KONG.....	29	96	60	110	21	30	24	39
JAPAN.....	160	25	9	9	105	26	8	10
LEBANON.....	2	16	6	2	1	7	3	2
PHILIPPINES.....	0	1	7	2	0	1	2	3
SAUDI ARABIA.....	8	0	10	5	4	0	6	3
SINGAPORE.....	5	1	1	0	2	7	1	0
OTHER.....	22	27	22	0	14	11	9	0
TOTAL 3/.....	254	204	164	162	167	112	81	75
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	2,551	3,151	4,957	7,694	1,054	1,375	1,891	2,991

1/ Beginning 1970, includes rendered poultry fat not previously reported. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 10.--Canned poultry: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BARBADOS.....	31	20	31	25	21	22	33	30
BARBADOES.....	18	161	16	1	6	48	18	1
BERMUDA.....	15	25	92	27	13	16	52	18
CANADA.....	2,176	1,362	2,334	1,328	514	386	792	510
JAMAICA.....	26	12	45	20	30	16	22	21
LEWIS AND CLARK ISLANDS.....	39	2	2	1	10	2	2	1
MEXICO.....	164	108	105	66	35	27	23	14
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	15	26	63	117	7	16	26	49
PANAMA.....	5	31	5	3	3	20	6	5
OTHER.....	12	2	11	7	5	2	3	5
TOTAL 2/.....	2,500	1,749	2,703	1,595	644	554	976	654
SOUTH AMERICA.....								
	12	1	0	13	4	1	0	10
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	1	0	2	5	1	0	3	11
DENMARK.....	5	2	0	3	2	2	0	1
GERMANY, WEST.....	5,114	1,344	2,414	345	1,120	278	735	170
IRELAND.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
ITALY.....	10	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	133	11	8	20	37	13	12	39
UNITED KINGDOM.....	1,618	72	153	132	817	29	77	130
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	6,883	1,430	2,576	504	1,980	322	826	350
AUSTRIA.....	5	0	0	121	2	0	0	53
SPAIN.....	12	0	22	43	6	0	43	83
SWEDEN.....	3	11	21	1	2	7	7	1
SWITZERLAND.....	128	0	245	155	48	0	96	109
OTHER.....	25	2	11	1	5	1	6	1
TOTAL 2/.....	7,056	1,442	2,875	823	2,043	329	979	597
AFRICA:								
CANARY ISLANDS.....	167	0	31	30	38	0	7	10
GUINEA.....	9	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
LIBYA.....	18	9	3	0	7	5	1	0
SOUTH AFRICA, REPUBLIC OF.....	3	0	26	65	1	0	18	45
OTHER.....	8	0	0	2	3	0	0	1
TOTAL 2/.....	204	9	59	97	54	5	26	56
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
AUSTRALIA.....	119	86	36	0	27	16	8	0
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	86	13	23	27	18	5	7	13
HONG KONG.....	71	20	27	5	21	12	12	6
JAPAN.....	45	1	32	2	15	1	10	4
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	3	4	0	0	2	1	0	0
MARSHALL ISLANDS, NEC.....	64	33	0	0	14	7	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	9	0	6	0	5	0	2	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	5	10	8	7	2	4	2	6
SINGAPORE.....	15	3	4	4	8	2	1	2
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	115	249	772	191	29	66	209	75
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	0	18	32	0	0	4	9
OTHER.....	29	28	19	0	10	10	23	0
TOTAL 2/.....	560	447	944	269	152	124	278	116
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	10,333	3,647	6,581	2,797	2,898	1,013	2,258	1,433

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 11.--Shell eggs, for consumption: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	QUANTITY (IN THOUSANDS OF DOZENS)				VALUE (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	83	2	31	12	37	1	10	6
BARBADOS.....	27	10	0	0	10	4	0	0
BELIZE..... 2/	4	0	13	1	1	0	4	1
BERMUDA.....	43	29	165	548	20	13	70	349
CANADA.....	3,778	302	1,803	1,159	1,404	116	700	640
HAITI.....	2	0	2	17	1	0	1	10
HONDURAS.....	1	0	4	1	0	0	1	1
JAMAICA.....	49	14	103	53	19	6	40	32
LEeward-WINDWARD IS.....	168	254	226	238	84	112	86	150
MEXICO.....	719	121	345	226	242	35	108	107
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	264	134	167	48	103	52	59	20
PANAMA.....	19	50	39	3	7	18	13	3
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	1	0	0	48	1	9	0	38
OTHER.....	46	2	2	1	21	1	1	1
TOTAL 3/.....	5,201	940	2,897	2,357	1,949	366	1,093	1,359
SOUTH AMERICA.....	92	41	3	0	34	17	3	0
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1
GERMANY, WEST.....	4	6	0	0	2	2	0	0
ITALY.....	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	0
NETHERLANDS.....	8	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	4	2	0	0	2	1	0	0
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	18	8	2	2	10	3	1	1
SPAIN.....	121	21	111	53	53	9	46	24
OTHER.....	25	2	1	0	8	3	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	164	31	114	55	71	14	48	25
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	199	2	0	43	70	1	0	44
JAPAN.....	2	2	9	278	1	1	5	120
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	25	41	89	57	10	18	38	34
OTHER.....	22	0	0	5	10	0	0	4
TOTAL 3/.....	248	45	98	383	91	19	42	202
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	5,705	1,057	3,111	2,795	2,146	417	1,186	1,586

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 12.--Hatching eggs: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF DOZENS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BARBADOS.....	94	140	207	218	87	122	180	214
BELIZE 2/.....	2	12	9	9	2	9	6	9
BERMUDA.....	0	2	5	11	0	1	12	4
CANADA.....	7,052	5,481	5,489	6,098	5,246	4,836	5,325	6,685
COSTA RICA.....	27	19	2	17	24	29	17	46
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	875	1,745	1,563	1,536	720	1,389	1,311	1,392
EL SALVADOR.....	40	23	9	8	36	25	22	36
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	17	7	54	5	15	6	43	6
GUATEMALA.....	62	5	6	40	63	33	27	58
HAITI.....	2	28	20	14	2	22	16	12
HONDURAS.....	67	61	100	23	53	56	94	24
JAMAICA.....	1,035	1,698	1,486	1,751	837	1,351	1,181	1,595
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	3	17	17	9	1	6	9	10
MEXICO.....	398	28	23	73	291	59	66	143
NICARAGUA.....	14	20	112	0	14	16	116	0
PANAMA.....	148	293	434	309	126	245	373	320
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	766	875	837	415	644	729	698	397
OTHER.....	17	0	0	1	13	0	0	1
TOTAL 3/.....	10,620	10,054	10,373	10,537	8,176	8,933	9,494	10,952
SOUTH AMERICA:								
ARGENTINA.....	78	124	86	58	31	615	632	514
BRAZIL.....	1	19	9	17	16	105	83	128
CHILE.....	33	77	0	0	70	37	0	0
COLOMBIA.....	0	0	21	4	0	1	24	14
ECUADOR.....	75	179	304	56	66	153	257	49
GUYANA.....	254	355	416	562	217	304	361	548
PERU.....	39	234	0	3	39	222	1	14
SURINAM.....	97	171	224	153	89	166	193	171
VENEZUELA.....	284	9	12	11	249	33	54	40
OTHER.....	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	863	1,169	1,073	865	1,050	1,636	1,604	1,479
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	35	12	6	15	161	29	13	65
DENMARK.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	14	42	35	101	55	203	171	403
GERMANY, WEST.....	237	177	62	46	434	488	158	157
IRELAND.....	17	0	0	1	66	0	0	2
ITALY.....	231	301	250	435	675	750	721	1,435
NETHERLANDS.....	22	26	4	1	22	33	14	1
UNITED KINGDOM.....	8	2	2	2	9	5	3	35
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	565	559	358	601	1,422	1,508	1,080	2,099
SPAIN.....	21	0	1	3	58	1	1	9
OTHER.....	5	0	2	0	28	0	3	0
TOTAL 3/.....	591	560	361	604	1,507	1,509	1,085	2,108
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
IRAN.....	0	0	5	21	3	0	18	69
JAPAN.....	2	0	1	10	3	1	2	10
OTHER.....	11	5	3	3	17	10	5	10
TOTAL 3/.....	14	5	8	34	23	12	25	89
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	12,088	11,788	11,815	12,040	10,756	12,090	12,208	14,628

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 13.--Dried eggs: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	3	6	8	12	3	5	7	13
BERMUDA.....	4	3	5	9	5	4	6	10
CANADA.....	84	17	63	33	94	19	74	39
JAMAICA.....	0	2	0	14	0	1	0	10
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	1	1	2	5	1	1	2	6
MEXICO.....	17	0	0	0	18	0	0	0
PANAMA.....	8	8	4	11	10	9	5	13
OTHER.....	5	2	2	6	5	2	2	7
TOTAL 2/.....	121	38	83	90	134	40	96	99
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	4	0	0	6	5	0	0	9
COLOMBIA.....	1	0	22	25	1	0	28	34
VENEZUELA.....	4	0	13	22	4	0	16	29
OTHER.....	4	2	9	7	5	24	11	11
TOTAL 2/.....	14	2	44	60	15	24	56	83
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	10	7	65	51	11	8	77	81
DENMARK.....	8	15	0	54	8	16	0	91
GERMANY, WEST.....	41	24	286	73	46	30	350	106
IRELAND.....	0	0	19	2	1	0	19	4
ITALY.....	2	58	49	12	2	74	54	15
NETHERLANDS.....	58	4	97	74	56	6	110	98
UNITED KINGDOM.....	115	114	853	789	126	136	955	947
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	234	222	1,370	1,055	251	270	1,565	1,342
AUSTRIA.....	28	6	200	119	31	8	246	173
GREECE.....	4	21	41	201	6	27	47	271
PORTUGAL.....	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	60
SPAIN.....	1	0	33	0	1	0	37	0
SWEDEN.....	1	22	5	8	1	24	4	8
SWITZERLAND.....	208	347	447	452	245	406	479	639
YUGOSLAVIA.....	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	23
OTHER.....	1	4	0	9	1	5	0	10
TOTAL 2/.....	476	621	2,095	1,885	535	740	2,377	2,526
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
ANGOLA.....	0	0	0	32	0	0	0	46
IRAN.....	0	0	2	12	0	0	2	17
ISRAEL.....	9	30	71	86	11	37	81	108
JAPAN.....	5	17	353	302	6	19	364	576
PHILIPPINES.....	3	4	6	3	4	5	8	4
OTHER.....	2	8	2	16	3	10	2	22
TOTAL 2/.....	19	59	434	451	23	71	458	773
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	630	738	2,656	2,485	708	875	2,987	3,482

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 14.--Eggs, frozen or otherwise preserved: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)			V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)				
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	9	3	0	0	3	1	0	0
BERMUDA.....	40	56	22	29	13	20	7	16
CANADA.....	213	12	0	39	125	5	0	42
JAMAICA.....	21	1	15	0	7	1	5	0
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	1	0	8	0	0	0	4	0
MEXICO.....	12	0	1	0	5	0	1	0
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	18	12	17	9	8	5	8	5
OTHER.....	3	0	6	0	2	0	2	0
TOTAL 2/.....	316	84	70	77	164	32	26	63
SOUTH AMERICA.....								
.....	2	0	3	0	1	0	3	0
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	48	0	0	0	27	0	1	0
ITALY.....	3	0	367	0	3	0	122	0
NETHERLANDS.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	9	0	0	117	8	0	0	97
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	51	0	367	117	39	0	122	97
ICELAND.....	2	0	78	30	2	0	32	12
SPAIN.....	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	3
OTHER.....	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	66	0	445	154	42	0	154	111
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
JAPAN.....	7	16	941	1,964	3	14	446	1,157
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	25	7	0	0	8	2	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	20	23	1	0	5	10	1	0
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	0	0	35	5	0	0	9	3
OTHER.....	44	0	0	4	11	0	0	4
TOTAL 2/.....	95	46	977	1,973	27	26	455	1,163
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	478	131	1,495	2,204	235	58	639	1,337

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 15.--Baby chicks: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSAND MEAG)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	96~	2,770	3,234	3,241	141	376	425	545
BARBADOS.....	4	11	0	17	0	2	0	6
BELIZE 2/.....	33	94	178	40	5	16	29	9
BERMUDA.....	19	32	33	27	8	14	13	11
CANADA.....	3,423	8,059	11,344	11,969	1,130	2,496	2,879	3,061
COSTA RICA.....	13	41	24	47	14	49	28	53
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	407	1,347	901	769	102	310	308	318
EL SALVADOR.....	64	167	134	93	24	110	58	51
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	16	15	28	4	3	3	6	1
GUATEMALA.....	64	121	226	18	50	96	173	166
HAITI.....	99	109	161	172	13	16	21	26
HONDURAS.....	342	852	886	1,090	66	175	210	245
JAMAICA.....	17	0	7	0	3	0	3	0
LEewardWARD IS.....	25	32	54	214	6	7	17	31
MEXICO.....	921	2,242	1,487	853	806	2,071	1,976	1,677
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	51	162	200	179	14	41	52	44
NICARAGUA.....	349	1,453	1,971	1,376	46	180	243	189
PANAMA.....	30	46	22	28	15	40	33	32
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	127	279	390	252	55	124	193	128
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	6,972	17,832	21,261	20,557	2,501	6,127	6,670	6,593
SOUTH AMERICA:								
ARGENTINA.....	25	101	53	0	28	117	50	0
BOLIVIA.....	4	8	16	5	4	15	18	10
BRAZIL.....	143	339	316	312	250	1,046	936	1,137
CHILE.....	143	298	270	206	142	302	335	474
COLOMBIA.....	96	330	312	392	104	322	379	493
ECUADOR.....	46	297	174	136	40	230	209	185
GLYANA.....	26	138	409	209	18	46	88	79
PERU.....	87	371	222	248	113	558	467	542
SURINAM.....	315	1,029	1,328	1,611	51	172	259	259
VENEZUELA.....	227	564	397	415	201	642	578	718
OTHER.....	2	3	14	0	1	3	12	0
TOTAL 3/.....	1,074	3,478	3,508	3,534	952	3,452	3,331	3,896
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	119	118	63	113	65	96	54	143
DENMARK.....	1	0	3	1	1	0	2	2
FRANCE.....	66	188	128	244	335	576	557	558
GERMANY, WEST.....	9	2	4	9	4	12	3	8
IRELAND.....	5	22	23	8	6	36	19	25
ITALY.....	241	716	462	484	250	648	487	512
NETHERLANDS.....	68	173	102	96	82	185	185	184
UNITED KINGDOM.....	12	29	12	30	27	108	39	75
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	521	1,248	796	984	772	1,660	1,347	1,507
GREECE.....	214	825	583	542	214	890	677	624
PORTUGAL.....	67	179	83	34	52	128	69	27
SPAIN.....	261	492	504	325	519	927	998	793
SWEDEN.....	9	9	28	7	10	30	34	7
OTHER.....	1	31	11	17	3	91	40	90
TOTAL 3/.....	1,073	2,784	2,005	1,909	1,570	3,726	3,164	3,047
AFRICA:								
ANGOLA.....	1	7	12	8	1	8	13	9
GHANA.....	1	4	12	21	3	12	35	37
LIBYA.....	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	43
NIGERIA.....	0	59	71	74	8	88	150	165
TANZANIA.....	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	10
TUNISIA.....	1	5	10	0	1	4	8	0
OTHER.....	5	34	6	14	5	36	7	22
TOTAL 3/.....	15	109	112	146	18	149	213	286
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN)	161	415	353	426	150	390	284	405
CYPRUS.....	12	85	113	116	11	87	119	115
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	46	118	100	128	14	45	37	52
HONG KONG.....	8	22	17	1	4	5	8	1
INDIA.....	16	26	38	21	18	37	89	57
INDONESIA.....	3	13	36	37	3	16	45	65
IRAN.....	75	156	83	119	37	121	69	278
JAPAN.....	868	2,432	1,547	1,775	1,449	3,712	2,953	2,663
JORDAN.....	2	11	18	30	2	9	16	26
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	51	158	75	173	68	216	115	265
LEBANON.....	63	174	197	165	48	158	196	195
MALAYSIA.....	23	39	44	31	24	39	46	34
PAKISTAN.....	10	40	7	22	13	95	30	48
PHILIPPINES.....	115	278	281	339	129	291	276	346
SINGAPORE.....	35	12~	218	201	36	142	227	244
SRI LANKA (CEYLON).....	9	26	22	9	10	37	26	10
THAILAND.....	34	168	198	253	35	197	237	349
TURKEY.....	1	4	5	80	4	6	17	132
VIETNAM, SOUTH.....	341	303	252	167	84	239	232	188
OTHER.....	20	31	24	14	42	82	49	15
TOTAL 3/.....	1,892	4,628	3,625	4,100	2,180	5,926	5,069	5,488
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	11,025	28,831	30,511	30,246	7,220	19,380	18,446	19,311

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 16.--Turkey poultry: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSAND HEAD)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 ^{1/}	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 ^{1/}
NORTH AMERICA:								
CANADA.....	505	346	568	964	289	163	263	466
EL SALVADOR.....	3	3	2	1	10	18	11	5
GUATEMALA.....	1	0	1	2	4	2	6	6
MEXICO.....	33	26	5	37	27	12	7	16
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1
PANAMA.....	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	5
OTHER.....	3	2	1	1	7	5	3	3
TOTAL ^{2/}	545	376	579	1,005	337	201	292	502
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	7	8	0	1	13	18	0	4
CHILE.....	2	2	15	15	6	7	16	17
COLOMBIA.....	1	6	1	2	2	11	4	10
ECUADOR.....	0	0	0	1	2	1	2	3
PERU.....	12	19	35	37	37	66	75	63
VENEZUELA.....	4	3	5	9	16	15	23	26
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2
TOTAL ^{2/}	27	39	58	64	77	120	122	125
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
DENMARK.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0
FRANCE.....	46	81	304	280	60	92	153	133
GERMANY, WEST.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITALY.....	10	1	0	0	29	3	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	0	0	3	0	0	0	6	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL EC-9 ^{2/}	58	82	308	280	91	94	165	133
GREECE.....	1	3	0	0	1	4	0	0
SPAIN.....	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
SWEDEN.....	1	2	0	0	2	5	0	0
OTHER.....	2	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
TOTAL ^{2/}	62	87	308	280	101	106	165	133
AFRICA.....								
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS....	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
JAPAN.....	1	1	2	4	2	3	9	10
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
LEBANON.....	0	0	21	0	0	0	16	0
PHILIPPINES.....	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	1
VIETNAM, SOUTH.....	0	0	5	0	0	0	9	0
OTHER.....	6	4	2	0	11	14	2	0
TOTAL ^{2/}	7	8	30	6	13	21	39	12
GRAND TOTAL ^{2/}.....	641	512	976	1,356	528	448	618	772

^{1/} Preliminary. ^{2/} May not add due to rounding.

Table 17.--Other live poultry: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	12	13	6	23	5	16	4	11
CANADA.....	5,254	1,176	3,468	4,270	1,636	639	1,254	1,485
EL SALVADOR.....	6	3	0	4	8	1	0	1
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	26	87	116	74	16	48	70	60
HAITI.....	2	0	6	8	1	0	3	7
HONOURAS.....	3	95	60	0	3	64	39	1
JAMAICA.....	13	16	30	27	8	14	22	22
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	8	14	33	0	4	9	17	0
MEXICO.....	751	151	14	61	419	105	6	26
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	8	27	78	137	4	14	52	70
NICARAGUA.....	0	41	38	1	1	20	20	2
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	1	51	4	4	0	38	4	4
OTHER.....	1	9	6	15	10	17	8	12
TOTAL 2/.....	6,200	1,686	3,858	4,624	2,160	987	1,500	1,700
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	4	0	0	1,445	2	0	0	634
COLOMBIA.....	11	0	0	0	3	0	0	1
PERU.....	3	2	2	1	4	5	4	0
SURINAM.....	3	5	8	7	5	8	14	13
VENEZUELA.....	25	66	29	14	26	47	25	23
OTHER.....	3	0	2	0	9	2	5	0
TOTAL 2/.....	49	74	41	1,467	49	60	48	672
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
DENMARK.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	17	0	36	0	6	0	6	0
ITALY.....	66	0	0	0	34	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	7	0	77	10	3	0	20	2
UNITED KINGDOM.....	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	98	0	119	10	46	0	28	2
SPAIN.....	5	0	3	0	13	0	3	0
SWEDEN.....	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	4
OTHER.....	1	1	0	0	4	2	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	105	1	122	26	64	2	31	6
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN).....	5	5	0	0	9	17	1	0
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	2	0	0	5	3	0	0	3
HONG KONG.....	0	7	0	3	0	2	0	11
JAPAN.....	35	2	1	0	64	5	1	0
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	40	3	60	79	67	2	15	36
THAILAND.....	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
OTHER.....	4	1	0	5	5	1	0	3
TOTAL 2/.....	94	16	62	119	151	28	16	52
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	6,448	1,778	4,083	6,236	2,423	1,077	1,596	2,430

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 18.--Poultry products: U.S. imports, quantity and value,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COMMODITY	QUANTITY (IN 1,000 POUNDS UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
POULTRY MEAT 2/:								
CHICKENS, DUCKS, ETC. INCL. GAME								
FRESH OR FROZEN.....	50	290	197	251	35	151	133	166
TURKEYS, FRESH OR FROZEN....	46	0	8	0	18	0	5	0
CHICKENS, DUCKS, ETC. INCL. GAME								
PREPARED OR PRESERVED, NEC	285	650	710	531	349	593	675	683
GOOSE LIVER PRODUCTS.....	94	92	60	88	443	443	309	561
TOTAL 3/.....	475	1,033	976	870	845	1,187	1,122	1,410
EGGS:								
CHICKEN IN SHELL (1000 DOZ)	5,166	4,973	1,015	13,096	1,924	1,621	377	5,537
OTHER IN SHELL (1000 DOZ).	475	761	755	724	773	1,354	1,275	1,090
DRIED.....	1,643	1,623	1	0	1,131	1,023	1	0
FROZEN OR OTHERWISE PRSRVD	2,612	140	47	38	398	57	35	29
TOTAL 3/.....	---	---	---	---	4,226	4,055	1,687	6,656
LIVE POULTRY:								
BABY CHICKS (IN THOUSANDS)	3,228	3,436	3,291	3,064	2,211	2,135	1,563	1,626
OTHER.....	1,525	3,259	250	5,569	375	704	113	2,144
TOTAL 3/.....	4,754	6,695	3,541	8,632	2,586	2,839	1,676	3,770
TOTAL POULTRY AND EGGS 3/	---	---	---	---	7,657	8,081	4,486	11,836

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Whole or parts. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 19.--Poultry products: U.S. imports by country of origin,
average 1966-70, annual 1971-73

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	QUANTITY				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1966-1970	1971	1972	1973 1/
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds				
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH OR FROZEN 2/:								
CANADA.....	81	284	195	250	38	138	120	163
NEW ZEALAND.....	4	2	6	0	2	2	6	0
OTHER.....	11	4	4	1	13	11	13	3
TOTAL 3/.....	96	290	205	251	53	151	138	166
BIROS, PREPARED OR PRES., NECI:								
CANADA.....	216	640	683	524	200	578	602	660
FRANCE.....	6	0	1	4	24	1	4	16
HONG KONG.....	47	1	24	0	95	1	66	0
OTHER.....	16	10	2	3	30	13	3	6
TOTAL 3/.....	285	650	710	531	349	593	675	683
GOOSE LIVER PRODUCTS:								
FRANCE.....	93	92	60	85	440	441	309	552
OTHER.....	1	1	0	3	3	2	0	9
TOTAL 3/.....	94	92	60	88	443	443	309	561
EGGS IN SHELL:	1,000 dozen	1,000 dozen	1,000 dozen	1,000 dozen				
BELGIUM-LUXEMBURG.....	788	3	1	91	240	7	3	30
DENMARK.....	557	0	0	0	154	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	5	0	0	131	1	0	0	73
GERMANY, WEST.....	0	0	0	181	0	0	0	68
ITALY.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	1,203	0	9	119	387	0	6	38
UNITED KINGDOM.....	18	0	10	94	10	2	38	394
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	2,570	3	20	1,462	793	9	47	602
AUSTRALIA.....	11	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
BAHAMAS.....	0	5	23	4	0	2	7	1
CANADA.....	1,862	3,421	1,348	10,845	1,444	2,042	1,291	5,394
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA.....	0	5	46	64	0	5	42	76
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN).....	247	287	289	277	178	217	220	254
FINLAND.....	0	0	0	959	0	0	0	192
GUATEMALA.....	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
HONG KONG.....	2	7	45	24	2	7	46	34
MEXICO.....	294	1,997	0	0	97	681	0	0
NICARAGUA.....	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	24
SPAIN.....	183	0	0	0	61	0	0	0
SWEDEN.....	47	0	0	160	12	0	0	44
VENEZUELA.....	16	2	0	0	6	1	0	0
OTHER.....	401	6	0	4	100	10	0	6
TOTAL 3/.....	5,641	5,734	1,770	13,820	2,698	2,975	1,652	6,626
EGGS OR LEO:	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds				
CANADA.....	7	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
DENMARK.....	821	824	0	0	575	523	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	59	89	0	0	36	53	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	399	2	0	0	253	1	0	0
POLAND.....	28	0	0	0	24	0	0	0
SPAIN.....	9	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
SWEDEN.....	151	481	0	0	114	312	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	148	225	0	0	99	133	0	0
OTHER.....	21	2	1	0	14	1	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	1,643	1,623	1	0	1,131	1,023	1	0
EGGS, FROZEN OR PRESERVED:								
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN).....	10	14	27	32	9	6	16	23
DENMARK.....	128	0	0	0	34	0	0	0
JAPAN.....	9	5	16	5	8	6	16	5
NETHERLANDS.....	27	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA.....	24	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	2,220	120	0	0	273	43	0	0
OTHER.....	195	1	4	1	63	2	3	1
TOTAL 3/.....	2,612	140	47	38	398	57	35	29
POULTRY, LIVE BABY CHICKS:	Thou- sands	Thou- sands	Thou- sands	Thou- sands				
CANADA.....	3,228	3,436	3,291	3,064	2,209	2,135	1,563	1,626
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	3,228	3,436	3,291	3,064	2,211	2,135	1,563	1,626
OTHER LIVE POULTRY:	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds				
CANADA.....	1,522	3,257	248	5,564	352	680	66	2,078
OTHER.....	3	2	2	5	23	24	47	66
TOTAL 3/.....	1,525	3,259	250	5,569	375	704	113	2,144

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Includes chickens, turkeys, guineas, ducks, and small game. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

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U.S. TRADE IN POULTRY PRODUCTS IN FISCAL 1974

Summary

Exports of poultry products during the year ending June 30, 1974, totaled \$136.2 million, about 47 percent above those of the previous fiscal year. Of the \$43.5 million year-to-year increase, \$20.7 million was attributable to the increased value of broiler (young chickens) exports and \$11.7 million to turkey meat.

The quantities of broilers and turkey meat exported increased 21-23 percent, respectively, over fiscal 1973 levels. Broilers (including parts) remained the single most important export category, accounting for over a third of the total value of poultry exports. The average price per pound of chicken meat exported was 46 percent above the fiscal 1973 average and the average price of turkey meat was up 34 percent. The average unit prices of most other export items were also higher.

The European Community (EC) was the most important outlet for U.S. poultry exports in fiscal 1974, accounting for \$30 million or 22 percent of the total value. Of this amount, \$19.9 million consisted of turkey meat imports, destined mainly for West Germany. Canada accounted for \$25.4 million, almost 19 percent of the total value, mostly poultry meat but including substantial amounts of eggs and live poultry. Shipments to the Caribbean (including Bermuda), a large market for broilers, totaled \$22.2 million, or more than 16 percent of the total value. Imports by Japan and Hong Kong were \$17.2 million and \$10.9 million, respectively. Significant quantities were also shipped to Switzerland, Singapore, and the Persian Gulf area.

All major markets except Switzerland increased the value of their purchases from the United States in fiscal 1974, compared with those of a year earlier. Exports to the EC rose \$9.3 million in value, or 44 percent. Shipments to Canada increased by \$8 million, or 46 percent. Sales to Hong Kong and Singapore were up 111 percent and 208 percent, respectively, with the increases totaling \$1.4 million.

Poultry Meat

Broilers exports in fiscal 1974 increased 21 percent over those of a year earlier to 110 million pounds, of which 18 percent consisted of whole broilers and 82 percent chicken parts. Chile purchased 5.1 million pounds of whole broilers in fiscal 1974, the first such purchase on a substantial scale. Mexico, Canada, and Greece also imported significant quantities of whole broilers. The Caribbean area remained the single most important market for chicken parts, although its total purchases declined 6 percent from the fiscal 1973 level to 32.7 million pounds. Exports of chicken meat to Japan and Hong Kong in fiscal 1974 totaled 23.4 million pounds and 20.8 million pounds, respectively.

Total turkey meat exports in fiscal 1974 increased 23 percent, with parts accounting for 73 percent of the total volume. Canada was the most important market for whole turkeys, followed by the EC. In contrast, the EC was the dominant market for turkey parts, accounting for 29.6 million pounds or 76 percent of total U.S. exports of turkey parts in fiscal 1974. Shipments to Switzerland increased by 28 percent to 11 million pounds.

Other Poultry Products

Shipments of shell eggs increased by 42 percent to 5.1 million dozen, mainly because of greater exports to Canada. As a result of minor declines to many destinations, exports of hatching eggs in fiscal 1974 fell by 6 percent to 11.6 million dozen. Exports of dried egg doubled, totaling 4.2 million pounds valued at \$6.5 million.

Exports of baby chicks in fiscal 1974 were practically unchanged, with a 6 percent decline in chicks for breeding being offset by a 3 percent increase in chicks for commercial production. Exports of turkey poults increased by 20 percent to 1.4 million head.

Imports

The value of all poultry products imported in fiscal 1974 increased by \$4.1 million to \$11.7 million. Shipments from Canada accounted for practically all of the increase amounting to \$10.4 million, almost 89 percent of the total fiscal 1974 U.S. import value. Shell eggs and live poultry imports from Canada totaled \$4.8 million and \$3.8 million, respectively. The most important non-Canadian import item was goose liver products from France, valued at \$567,000.

Outlook

The uptrend in U.S. broiler meat exports is likely to continue, based on present indications. In contrast, recent actions by the EC to greatly increase import charges on turkey meat will likely reduce U.S. exports to that important market in fiscal 1975. Also, the pattern of trade with Canada may change as a result of quota restrictions imposed by Canada on imports of eggs and turkeys.

Table 1.--Poultry products: U.S. exports, quantity and value,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COMMODITY	QUANTITY (IN 1,000 POUNDS UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH OR FROZEN 2/:								
YOUNG CHICKENS.....	78,112	99,952	90,762	110,452	19,913	26,392	25,134	45,798
FOWL.....	1,690	2,677	2,161	2,416	504	847	558	1,021
TURKEYS.....	33,960	24,826	43,732	53,611	11,779	10,229	18,006	29,578
POULTRY, NEC.....	6,046	4,151	6,806	6,118	2,247	1,595	3,007	3,376
POULTRY LIVER.....	4,658	4,170	5,239	3,615	1,416	1,327	1,836	1,587
POULTRY SPECIALTIES 3/...	2,571	3,245	8,477	6,005	1,136	1,425	2,776	3,292
TOTAL 1/.....	127,038	139,021	157,177	182,218	36,995	41,815	51,418	84,652
CANNED POULTRY.....	9,114	4,911	4,846	2,583	2,588	1,422	2,112	1,587
TOTAL POULTRY MEAT 1/.....	136,152	143,932	162,023	184,801	39,583	43,237	53,530	86,239
EGGS:								
MARKET (IN 1000 DOZEN)....	5,099	1,432	3,648	5,095	1,913	530	1,484	2,953
HATCHING (IN 1000 DOZEN)...	12,089	11,350	12,347	11,600	10,932	11,798	13,708	15,797
DRIED.....	610	1,535	2,127	4,243	683	1,167	2,125	6,504
FROZEN OR OTHERWISE PRES.	425	326	2,465	1,566	203	221	935	1,262
TOTAL 1/.....	---	---	---	---	13,730	14,315	18,250	26,515
LIVE POULTRY:								
BABY CHICKS (IN THOUSANDS)...	13,834	29,517	29,507	29,226	9,263	18,527	18,257	19,122
TURKEY POULT (IN THOUSANDS)	581	591	1,158	1,384	496	459	682	816
OTHER.....	6,040	2,000	4,153	9,695	2,322	1,007	1,670	3,525
TOTAL 1/.....	---	---	---	---	12,081	20,993	20,609	23,463
TOTAL POULTRY AND EGGS 1/.	---	---	---	---	65,394	77,445	92,690	136,217

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Whole or parts. 3/ Beginning 1970, includes rendered poultry fat. 1/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 2.--Young chickens, whole, fresh, or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	666	161	150	144	214	65	73	84
BARBADOS.....	442	591	859	161	81	108	60	76
BELIZE 2/.....	741	297	128	57	190	89	45	22
BERMUDA.....	354	404	322	758	144	168	114	354
CANADA.....	1,820	1,993	1,019	2,170	677	714	380	1,108
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	129	0	322	38	44	0	29	8
HAITI.....	0	0	0	122	0	0	0	63
HONOLULU.....	22	3	0	0	5	1	0	0
JAMAICA.....	596	1,328	635	399	106	608	143	162
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	594	540	558	517	151	154	153	217
MEXICO.....	1,517	663	2,614	3,411	410	178	752	1,306
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	745	722	826	532	238	657	367	297
NICARAGUA.....	2	3	52	6	0	9	6	3
PANAMA.....	33	27	4	46	11	9	1	22
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	1	0	32	4	0	0	14	1
OTHER.....	4	0	1	3	1	0	1	1
TOTAL 3/.....	7,660	6,734	7,522	8,369	2,273	1,554	2,397	3,688
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	53	13	0	0	19	5	0	0
CHILE.....	154	0	0	5,144	43	0	0	2,266
COLOMBIA.....	59	187	0	0	20	66	0	0
PERU.....	36	3,863	0	0	12	1,366	0	0
SURINAM.....	38	0	15	0	9	0	6	0
VENEZUELA.....	5	0	2	2	1	0	0	2
OTHER.....	11	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	356	4,062	15	5,146	107	1,437	6	2,268
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	13	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	252	69	46	21	72	28	17	16
ITALY.....	9	0	71	54	2	0	18	29
NETHERLANDS.....	127	38	68	2	39	14	25	1
UNITED KINGDOM.....	77	23	14	341	21	7	8	171
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	487	130	199	418	140	48	68	216
AUSTRIA.....	66	38	0	0	24	18	0	0
GREECE.....	1,162	810	1,015	1,813	304	189	229	942
MALTA-GOZO.....	0	0	0	516	0	0	0	207
SWITZERLAND.....	6,404	8,587	3,649	507	2,123	2,921	1,928	209
OTHER.....	17	4	0	5	6	1	0	3
TOTAL 3/.....	8,134	9,570	4,863	3,260	2,596	3,176	1,325	1,579
AFRICA:								
GUINEA.....	0	3	6	15	0	2	2	9
LIBERIA.....	49	32	17	38	17	15	8	21
LIBYA.....	5	7	0	0	2	4	0	0
OTHER.....	22	1	0	0	7	1	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	76	43	23	54	26	22	9	30
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
ARABIAN PEN. ST, NEC.....	107	19	0	0	35	11	0	0
BAHRAIN.....	28	43	17	20	10	15	6	12
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLAND.....	556	64	92	273	173	24	43	143
HONG KONG.....	1,457	1,190	369	497	324	651	95	181
JAPAN.....	889	923	983	852	282	682	311	382
KUWAIT.....	185	90	4	50	88	53	2	31
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	618	58	0	0	186	26	0	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	45	7	0	0	12	2	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	244	91	204	127	95	54	88	99
SINGAPORE.....	137	287	11	61	39	80	4	27
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	428	673	901	610	129	609	335	294
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES.....	0	7	34	19	0	4	21	12
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	5	22	123	0	1	8	48
OTHER.....	101	6	4	614	31	3	3	285
TOTAL 3/.....	4,795	3,462	2,640	3,246	1,404	1,016	918	1,512
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	21,022	23,871	15,064	20,074	6,407	7,605	4,955	9,077

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 3.--Powl, whole, fresh or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination.
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	188	16	34	7	62	5	7	3
BARBADOS.....	24	23	34	0	4	9	14	0
BELIZE 2/.....	3	72	0	10	0	19	0	4
BERMUDA.....	49	83	96	227	21	32	42	93
CANADA.....	281	205	164	872	87	61	57	315
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	16	76	0	2	4	21	0	1
JAMAICA.....	27	9	33	31	5	3	14	14
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	25	99	132	40	6	21	45	17
MEXICO.....	48	4	48	63	13	1	14	23
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	82	162	229	189	27	42	97	78
OTHER.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	744	749	771	1,441	231	214	289	548
SOUTH AMERICA:								
.....	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	7	6	0	0	3	2	0	0
FRANCE.....	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	2
GERMANY, WEST.....	12	0	28	28	1	0	11	6
ITALY.....	0	0	0	31	0	0	0	15
NETHERLANDS.....	21	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	20	0	15	0	4	0	4	0
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	61	6	43	64	14	2	15	24
FINLAND.....	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
GREECE.....	6	207	105	0	2	54	21	0
SWITZERLAND.....	368	1,509	1,087	108	119	506	284	53
OTHER.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	442	1,723	1,236	172	137	561	320	77
AFRICA:								
LIBERIA.....	13	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
OTHER.....	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	14	0	1	0	5	0	1	0
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS....	21	16	2	43	8	5	1	25
HONG KONG.....	23	41	33	257	6	9	13	116
JAPAN.....	266	111	38	170	57	45	8	100
KUWAIT.....	11	0	0	110	4	0	0	48
MARSHALL ISLANDS, NEC.....	45	10	0	0	14	4	0	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	11	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
SINGAPORE.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	55	23	55	210	16	7	17	105
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	0	14	7	0	0	5	3
OTHER.....	55	4	7	6	20	2	4	1
TOTAL 3/.....	489	205	150	803	130	72	48	397
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	1,690	2,677	2,161	2,416	504	847	858	1,021

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 4.--Chicken parts, fresh or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	263	126	122	191	99	56	52	128
BARBADOS.....	3,602	6,693	3,559	3,629	700	1,413	952	1,198
BELIZE 2/.....	705	814	268	91	134	164	43	18
BERMUDA.....	1,159	1,370	1,850	1,190	401	483	693	678
CANADA.....	436	362	3,183	5,726	149	107	522	1,362
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	3	38	0	40	1	13	0	18
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	30	57	11	64	8	20	5	27
HONDURAS.....	40	57	0	0	7	10	0	0
JAMAICA.....	7,251	11,353	17,471	16,541	699	1,222	2,860	4,559
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	4,969	7,930	7,907	6,042	965	1,601	1,745	2,159
MEXICO.....	43	98	313	491	8	12	43	123
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	2,736	4,640	4,022	4,973	906	1,704	1,574	2,460
PANAMA.....	3	3	17	0	1	1	6	0
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	7	76	0	53	1	18	0	18
OTHER.....	26	3	16	0	3	1	5	0
TOTAL 3/.....	21,273	33,619	38,740	39,032	4,083	6,226	8,372	12,748
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
CHILE.....	3	4	0	0	2	2	0	0
COLOMBIA.....	5	20	0	0	1	4	0	0
FRENCH GUIANA.....	12	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
PERU.....	0	602	0	0	0	96	0	0
SURINAM.....	981	1,268	898	394	104	135	121	119
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	1,007	1,894	898	394	110	237	121	119
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	45	48	54	0	19	22	30	0
FRANCE.....	27	123	0	73	7	35	115	32
GERMANY, WEST.....	4,048	2,281	280	447	762	604	115	305
IRELAND.....	0	0	125	0	0	0	59	0
ITALY.....	160	215	512	554	58	66	240	253
NETHERLANDS.....	347	42	15	73	77	13	6	26
UNITED KINGDOM.....	312	351	1,023	507	76	114	379	248
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	4,939	3,061	2,009	1,653	928	854	638	864
AUSTRIA.....	343	151	74	230	108	53	30	135
GIBRALTAR.....	31	44	0	62	14	18	0	50
GREECE.....	990	239	171	517	183	59	50	193
MALTA-GOZO.....	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	24
PORTUGAL.....	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWEDEN.....	13	293	0	3	3	80	0	1
SWITZERLAND.....	866	704	599	516	327	270	226	245
OTHER.....	6	0	16	0	2	0	4	1
TOTAL 3/.....	7,188	4,516	2,870	3,019	1,634	1,340	1,149	1,515
AFRICA:								
GHANA.....	50	0	0	0	11	0	0	0
LIBERIA.....	111	144	133	51	47	62	50	32
LIBYA.....	84	31	16	0	37	15	3	0
OTHER.....	97	2	5	75	30	2	3	35
TOTAL 3/.....	343	177	153	126	125	79	59	68
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
ARABIAN PEN. ST. NEC.....	34	14	0	0	14	7	0	0
AUSTRALIA.....	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
BAHRAIN.....	37	69	83	104	15	32	43	68
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN)	7	0	35	44	2	0	8	7
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	270	97	183	308	98	36	84	163
HONG KONG.....	12,554	17,664	13,994	20,787	2,574	3,655	3,907	8,732
JAPAN.....	9,500	15,881	17,437	23,425	3,239	5,809	6,317	11,635
KUWAIT.....	99	34	148	352	42	17	77	205
MALAYSIA.....	471	88	82	159	131	21	30	79
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	2,813	1,242	0	0	976	465	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	4	38	0	0	2	8	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	200	104	423	511	95	63	169	382
SINGAPORE.....	1,181	587	445	1,737	328	168	157	817
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	46	37	127	197	16	16	48	88
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES.....	0	6	36	48	0	2	21	32
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	8	36	49	0	3	10	28
OTHER.....	57	5	8	88	20	2	5	35
TOTAL 3/.....	27,280	35,875	33,037	47,808	7,553	10,304	10,778	22,271
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	57,091	76,081	75,698	90,378	13,506	18,787	20,419	36,721

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 5.--Turkeys, whole, fresh, or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	467	391	408	368	197	186	200	293
BARBADOS.....	68	88	202	143	29	41	88	78
BELIZE 2/.....	33	13	49	33	13	6	20	26
BERMUDA.....	366	168	406	455	151	73	194	325
CANADA.....	428	676	3,354	5,087	137	241	1,231	2,466
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	30	60	62	21	9	20	24	9
JAMAICA.....	181	61	219	95	83	27	99	54
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	55	59	75	76	22	24	32	47
MEXICO.....	101	19	36	94	32	6	14	29
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	73	71	72	98	28	30	31	63
PANAMA.....	70	86	233	98	33	39	128	51
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	206	221	230	24	70	86	24	11
OTHER.....	10	9	13	6	4	5	5	20
TOTAL 3/.....	2,088	1,922	5,359	6,611	809	783	2,161	3,473
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	8	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
ECUADOR.....	0	102	0	0	0	11	0	0
GUYANA.....	7	5	0	0	4	2	0	0
SURINAM.....	5	3	3	9	2	2	1	9
VENEZUELA.....	12	27	47	12	6	13	49	11
OTHER.....	40	8	0	6	15	6	0	5
TOTAL 3/.....	72	146	50	27	30	33	27	25
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	169	26	60	103	62	14	27	66
DENMARK.....	0	0	16	0	0	0	22	0
FRANCE.....	6	0	1	0	3	0	1	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	3,231	807	1,915	2,378	1,050	249	628	1,084
ITALY.....	1,118	693	923	1,077	397	338	356	559
NETHERLANDS.....	492	125	268	422	174	40	100	227
UNITED KINGDOM.....	228	185	161	390	160	117	169	191
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	5,244	2,036	3,345	4,371	1,846	758	1,312	2,128
AUSTRIA.....	192	95	306	68	63	40	124	27
FINLAND.....	0	0	0	72	0	0	0	26
GREECE.....	177	263	305	126	61	88	91	69
MALTA-GOZO.....	17	61	36	28	6	22	18	25
NORWAY.....	1	1	27	57	0	1	20	25
PORTUGAL.....	0	2	0	26	0	3	0	9
SWEDEN.....	25	14	0	1	16	12	0	1
SWITZERLAND.....	287	322	301	440	101	145	117	229
OTHER.....	19	2	0	0	6	1	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	5,963	2,795	4,320	5,187	2,099	1,070	1,881	2,559
AFRICA:								
CANARY ISLANDS.....	80	189	154	104	32	66	55	47
GHANA.....	20	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
LIBERIA.....	18	6	14	2	7	3	6	2
NIGERIA.....	15	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA.....	1	0	0	39	1	0	0	19
TOGO.....	3	39	0	0	0	4	0	0
OTHER.....	45	4	4	4	19	1	2	0
TOTAL 3/.....	182	238	172	148	71	75	64	71
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
BAHRAIN.....	19	23	34	17	9	10	13	13
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	38	18	28	72	16	8	19	46
HONG KONG.....	804	451	736	653	216	128	227	341
INDIA.....	10	0	6	0	5	0	6	0
ISRAEL.....	27	0	0	0	13	0	0	0
JAPAN.....	320	270	724	714	106	112	320	411
KUWAIT.....	92	94	65	45	37	40	25	26
LEBANON.....	68	64	48	42	27	31	39	28
MALAYSIA.....	120	58	119	132	40	22	43	81
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	24	7	0	0	9	3	0	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	9	3	0	138	3	1	0	50
PHILIPPINES.....	69	0	0	21	26	0	0	8
SAUDI ARABIA.....	55	57	66	35	23	29	38	32
SINGAPORE.....	224	122	306	483	73	44	110	276
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS.....	39	179	199	14	10	42	47	9
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES.....	0	0	49	23	0	0	20	15
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	6	45	148	0	1	11	37
OTHER.....	46	14	30	8	21	7	16	7
TOTAL 3/.....	1,963	1,367	2,454	2,544	635	480	736	1,380
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	10,267	6,468	12,355	14,517	3,644	2,441	4,888	7,588

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 6.--Turkey parts, fresh or frozen: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BALAMAS.....	188	130	185	214	76	58	67	94
BARBADOS.....	74	62	249	602	26	30	100	236
BERMUOA.....	82	72	52	92	44	56	51	79
CANADA.....	217	299	2,205	3,129	79	107	828	1,444
JAMAICA.....	72	105	119	272	26	52	88	117
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	20	10	31	88	6	5	11	34
MEXICO.....	9	38	53	61	3	5	12	18
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	21	11	11	47	9	7	10	29
PANAMA.....	36	28	75	50	21	30	47	40
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	20	23	67	39	8	15	27	87
OTHER.....	10	0	5	3	4	0	6	5
TOTAL 2/.....	748	778	3,051	4,597	300	366	1,443	2,125
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	3	0	33	0	2	0	29	0
SURINAM.....	4	0	3	1	1	0	2	1
VENEZUELA.....	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
OTHER.....	16	1	0	0	5	1	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	29	1	36	1	11	1	31	1
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBURG.....	525	350	394	571	185	144	158	380
DENMARK.....	10	69	32	71	3	36	16	43
FRANCE.....	17	0	0	235	6	0	0	168
GERMANY, WEST.....	17,216	11,968	18,505	22,125	5,560	4,436	7,414	12,830
ITALY.....	957	923	2,008	2,068	463	496	871	1,217
NETHERLANDS.....	1,334	749	1,345	1,841	459	289	544	1,029
UNITED KINGDOM.....	518	1,468	1,895	2,700	272	1,468	1,638	2,108
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	20,577	15,528	24,179	29,611	6,948	6,668	10,441	17,774
AUSTRIA.....	147	89	292	109	55	44	123	88
FINLAND.....	0	0	0	123	0	0	0	82
GREECE.....	297	73	449	449	69	10	26	147
MALTA-GDZD.....	9	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
NORWAY.....	2	20	7	8	2	7	7	6
SWEDEN.....	609	278	259	233	445	261	189	149
SWITZERLAND.....	70	342	863	1,105	45	155	355	488
OTHER.....	0	6	8	16	0	2	5	6
TOTAL 2/.....	21,710	16,338	26,058	31,656	7,567	7,148	11,415	18,722
AFRICA:								
GHANA.....	395	336	0	239	62	55	0	98
LIBERIA.....	1	11	1	9	1	9	9	9
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA.....	0	0	22	18	0	0	0	18
TOGO.....	20	186	599	632	3	30	121	188
OTHER.....	16	0	16	49	6	0	7	31
TOTAL 2/.....	432	533	638	948	72	94	137	343
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	5	4	9	6	3	3	9	8
HONG KONG.....	579	621	1,404	1,160	118	143	440	481
ISRAEL.....	2	0	12	19	1	0	7	4
JAPAN.....	62	35	36	298	16	12	15	129
KUWAIT.....	4	3	0	0	2	3	0	0
LEBANON.....	11	4	12	5	5	2	6	5
MALAYSIA.....	12	1	0	0	4	2	0	0
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	16	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	20	6	2	96	12	3	1	79
SINGAPORE.....	4	3	10	18	2	3	9	21
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	44	26	83	84	9	6	17	22
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	3	15	66	0	1	2	17
OTHER.....	15	3	12	138	5	2	7	162
TOTAL 2/.....	773	709	1,596	1,892	184	179	512	878
TOTAL 2/.....	23,693	18,359	31,377	39,093	8,134	7,188	13,144	22,069

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 7.--Poultry, fresh or frozen, other than chickens and turkeys 1/ U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 2/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 2/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	99	106	147	88	55	57	80	80
BARBADOS.....	261	56	14	65	62	22	12	28
BELIZE 3/.....	1	75	185	1	0	14	39	1
BERMUDA.....	128	107	129	113	65	50	90	72
CANADA.....	1,888	1,436	1,202	1,148	859	666	551	625
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	3	0	110	0	1	0	26	0
HAITI.....	0	2	10	42	0	0	5	22
JAMAICA.....	265	211	29	367	100	51	19	85
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	114	20	98	84	38	17	40	69
MEXICO.....	37	4	8	15	12	2	5	9
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	219	349	1,492	683	73	126	617	414
PANAMA.....	19	24	46	37	10	14	20	26
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	42	13	29	1	14	5	13	1
OTHER.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL 4/.....	3,078	2,403	3,498	2,645	1,292	1,024	1,535	1,441
SOUTH AMERICA:								
.....	17	7	6	20	8	1	7	13
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBURG.....	16	0	32	0	5	0	10	0
FRANCE.....	12	1	2	32	4	1	2	17
GERMANY, WEST.....	425	2	967	769	119	2	336	495
IRELAND.....	0	1	2	1	0	1	2	1
ITALY.....	60	3	36	36	23	4	91	28
NETHERLANDS.....	40	1	38	39	12	1	12	28
UNITED KINGDOM.....	15	9	46	8	10	10	53	12
TOTAL EC-9 4/.....	568	16	1,180	885	173	19	677	588
AUSTRIA.....	149	0	0	35	44	0	0	24
GREECE.....	32	6	69	95	7	2	24	38
SWITZERLAND.....	103	0	1	46	29	0	2	20
OTHER.....	5	8	13	9	3	10	15	13
TOTAL EUROPE 4/.....	856	30	1,263	1,070	255	32	717	693
AFRICA:								
LIBERIA.....	22	5	68	0	9	4	38	0
TOGO.....	2	69	159	0	0	11	32	0
OTHER.....	14	0	6	8	7	0	2	7
TOTAL 4/.....	39	74	232	8	17	15	72	7
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	134	152	186	175	75	80	123	150
HONG KONG.....	1,244	1,227	1,483	1,630	342	355	469	793
JAPAN.....	269	128	95	276	96	40	50	107
KUWAIT.....	83	0	0	40	37	0	0	28
MALAYSIA.....	11	5	2	30	4	2	1	15
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	95	73	0	0	35	26	0	0
NEW ZEALAND.....	18	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	40	0	0	0	19	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	40	1	7	6	18	1	6	6
SINGAPORE.....	62	4	10	54	18	1	7	28
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	7	43	14	147	2	15	2	79
OTHER.....	52	5	9	18	25	4	7	15
TOTAL 4/.....	2,055	1,637	1,807	2,375	675	524	675	1,222
GRAND TOTAL 4/.....	6,046	4,151	6,806	6,118	2,247	1,595	3,007	3,376

1/ Includes ducks, geese, guinea hens, and rock cornish hens. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 4/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 8.--Poultry liver: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	7	15	3	4	5	10	2	1
BARBADOS.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	39	0
CANADA.....	89	3	73	83	38	5	0	25
GUATEMALA.....	0	12	0	0	0	1	0	0
JAMAICA.....	11	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	4	7	12	64	2	2	4	38
MEXICO.....	2	2	0	3	2	1	0	1
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	13	7	112	4	7	7	54	1
OTHER.....	2	2	0	6	2	2	0	2
TOTAL 2/.....	129	47	201	164	62	28	99	68
SOUTH AMERICA:	4	7	4	0	1	1	2	0
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBURG.....	12	20	50	12	3	5	17	4
FRANCE.....	648	265	371	441	181	74	131	178
GERMANY, WEST.....	3,345	3,449	4,115	2,238	1,007	1,094	1,382	966
ITALY.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	182	75	248	84	53	23	114	33
UNITED KINGDOM.....	5	0	0	39	1	0	0	9
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	4,193	3,809	4,783	2,813	1,246	1,195	1,603	1,189
AUSTRIA.....	114	0	20	0	36	0	8	0
FINLAND.....	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	11
GREECE.....	16	38	74	0	5	15	22	0
SWITZERLAND.....	5	0	0	29	2	0	0	9
OTHER.....	13	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	4,341	3,846	4,877	2,871	1,293	1,210	1,624	1,210
AFRICA:								
GHANA.....	18	4	5	11	3	2	5	8
TOGO.....	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0
OTHER.....	5	1	0	2	3	1	0	1
TOTAL 2/.....	23	5	15	13	5	3	8	9
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
AUSTRALIA.....	0	0	16	0	0	0	10	0
HONG KONG.....	101	256	97	297	32	82	31	122
ISRAEL.....	0	0	10	242	0	0	4	188
JAPAN.....	4	0	9	10	1	0	2	3
MALAYSIA.....	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA.....	4	2	5	12	2	1	4	4
SINGAPORE.....	10	7	2	5	5	3	2	2
OTHER.....	37	0	3	0	14	0	1	0
TOTAL 2/.....	161	264	142	567	55	85	54	300
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	4,658	4,170	5,239	3,615	1,416	1,327	1,636	1,587

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 9.--Poultry specialists 1/ U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 2/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 2/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	81	75	34	72	40	39	22	88
BARBAADOS.....	3	17	3	0	2	11	2	1
BERMUDA.....	61	75	97	13	38	57	56	5
CANADA.....	1,093	1,641	4,154	4,675	352	503	1,138	2,609
GUATEMALA.....	6	20	59	52	4	11	26	21
JAMAICA.....	51	17	23	39	22	14	12	26
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	22	2	230	2	5	1	38	2
MEXICO.....	26	9	19	9	5	47	2	4
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	31	101	22	55	16	47	21	43
PANAMA.....	8	21	5	9	8	19	5	1
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	5	8	1	2	3	4	5	11
OTHER.....	4	6	6	22	2	2	5	11
TOTAL 3/.....	1,389	1,992	4,654	4,951	500	711	1,526	2,792
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	0	88	0	38	0	34	0	21
PERU.....	6	9	46	0	3	4	20	0
VENEZUELA.....	49	408	645	466	21	146	258	286
OTHER.....	3	0	2	0	1	0	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	57	506	694	505	24	183	279	227
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	1	2	28	2	1	4	19	6
DENMARK.....	5	59	0	33	3	53	0	30
FRANCE.....	3	2	0	0	1	1	0	1
GERMANY, WEST.....	329	276	15	72	163	221	19	49
IRELAND.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
ITALY.....	8	5	0	1	4	2	0	1
NETHERLANDS.....	57	41	0	0	38	30	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	288	145	2,694	229	118	77	383	69
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	691	531	2,737	337	329	388	420	155
MALTA-GOZO.....	0	4	37	0	0	3	22	0
NORWAY.....	11	17	27	1	10	15	12	2
SWEDEN.....	81	66	0	2	72	34	0	10
SWITZERLAND.....	45	0	113	0	22	0	28	1
OTHER.....	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	0
TOTAL 3/.....	829	617	2,914	340	434	440	483	167
AFRICA:								
LIBERIA.....	4	1	0	26	2	1	0	17
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA.....	9	2	18	0	4	1	5	0
TOGO.....	12	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
OTHER.....	4	3	0	0	2	1	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	29	6	18	26	10	3	5	17
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
AUSTRALIA.....	16	16	0	0	12	13	0	0
BAHRAIN.....	10	26	18	22	4	12	9	6
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	6	10	8	5	6	11	8	9
HONG KONG.....	46	11	124	120	26	7	44	42
JAPAN.....	150	17	7	24	99	19	4	21
LEBANON.....	1	16	8	0	1	7	5	0
PHILIPPINES.....	0	5	3	3	0	2	1	4
SAUDI ARABIA.....	7	5	9	8	4	4	4	5
SINGAPORE.....	25	9	1	1	2	7	7	1
OTHER.....	5	10	19	1	14	7	7	1
TOTAL 3/.....	266	124	197	184	167	88	82	90
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	2,571	3,245	8,477	6,005	1,136	1,425	2,176	3,292

1/ Beginning 1970, includes rendered poultry fat not previously reported. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 10.--Canned poultry: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	30	21	37	17	22	26	37	25
BARBAOOS.....	50	11	8	0	15	11	11	0
BERMUDA.....	16	54	69	22	13	32	40	14
CANADA.....	2,253	1,657	2,159	1,142	539	525	1,43	525
JAMAICA.....	26	55	8	20	30	34	9	24
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	38	3	1	37	10	2	1	11
MEXICO.....	159	121	98	122	35	29	19	54
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	15	21	167	23	8	11	68	11
PANAMA.....	10	4	8	0	7	5	11	1
OTHER.....	9	6	8	11	4	3	5	6
TOTAL 2/.....	2,607	1,952	2,563	1,394	682	677	944	670
SOUTH AMERICA.....	12	1	0	53	4	1	0	22
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	0	0	4	10	0	0	7	29
DENMARK.....	2	2	2	6	1	2	1	3
GERMANY, WEST.....	4,084	1,663	1,400	55	886	366	585	144
IRELAND.....	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
ITALY.....	10	0	0	17	2	0	0	10
NETHERLANDS.....	79	11	17	16	21	13	28	36
UNITED KINGDOM.....	1,465	122	181	65	744	32	173	44
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	5,642	1,798	1,605	169	1,655	413	794	265
AUSTRIA.....	3	0	4	116	1	0	12	41
SPAIN.....	6	0	40	58	5	0	78	128
SWEDEN.....	1	8	21	19	2	5	8	9
SWITZERLAND.....	122	115	265	53	44	45	115	128
OTHER.....	25	9	4	45	5	4	3	17
TOTAL 2/.....	5,799	1,930	1,939	460	1,711	467	1,010	588
AFRICA:								
CANARY ISLANDS.....	145	31	30	1	33	7	10	1
GUINEA.....	9	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
LIBYA.....	16	2	1	3	6	1	1	3
SOUTH AFRICA, REPUBLIC OF.....	3	21	17	55	1	8	39	23
OTHER.....	7	0	0	16	3	0	0	9
TOTAL 2/.....	179	53	48	76	48	15	49	36
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
AUSTRALIA.....	89	102	0	14	20	21	0	5
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	57	16	30	83	13	4	10	40
HONG KONG.....	69	23	14	8	21	11	3	11
JAPAN.....	43	18	14	2	14	7	0	4
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	4	2	0	0	2	1	0	0
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	64	0	0	0	14	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	6	0	6	2	2	0	2	8
SAUDI ARABIA.....	6	9	3	15	2	4	1	3
SINGAPORE.....	13	4	2	7	1	1	1	3
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS.....	134	778	202	343	35	207	60	163
WESTERN SAMOA.....	0	9	13	125	0	2	3	35
OTHER.....	31	13	12	6	11	5	19	2
TOTAL 2/.....	517	975	295	600	142	263	110	271
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	9,114	4,911	4,846	2,583	2,588	1,422	2,112	1,587

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 11.--Shell eggs, for consumption: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (In THOUSANDS OF DOZENS)				V A L U E (In THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA								
BARBADOS.....	74	30	13	45	35	10	1	26
BELIZE 2/.....	27	10	0	0	10	4	0	0
BERMUDA.....	4	3	13	1	1	0	4	1
CANADA.....	41	35	358	645	20	14	173	441
HAITI.....	3,389	415	2,106	3,587	1,264	153	841	1,980
HONDURAS.....	2	0	9	18	1	0	4	12
JAMAICA.....	4	8	1	0	0	1	1	0
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	48	8	121	46	19	3	20	30
MEXICO.....	177	265	152	248	88	108	24	165
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	731	172	372	136	245	47	137	80
PANAMA.....	241	235	47	27	94	85	17	18
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	20	56	16	57	7	19	0	38
OTHER.....	65	24	0	48	0	9	0	1
TOTAL 3/.....	4,884	1,254	3,209	4,860	1,805	454	1,243	2,403
SOUTH AMERICA	93	27	0	0	34	13	0	0
EUROPE								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	4	6	0	0	2	0	0	0
ITALY.....	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0
NETHERLANDS.....	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SPAIN.....	6	4	3	5	2	2	1	0
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	1	83	80	38	1	34	33	21
OTHER.....	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	9	69	84	38	6	36	36	21
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	156	0	11	37	51	0	0	30
JAPAN.....	2	11	264	17	1	6	111	13
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS.....	29	51	79	52	13	21	30	33
OTHER.....	6	0	1	90	2	0	1	45
TOTAL 3/.....	193	62	355	197	67	27	152	129
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	5,099	1,432	3,648	5,095	1,913	530	1,431	2,453

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 12.--Hatching eggs: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (In THOUSANDS OF DOZENS)				V A L U E (In THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA								
BARBADOS.....	97	168	243	203	90	147	217	214
BELIZE 2/.....	3	8	17	13	3	6	14	13
BERMUDA.....	0	2	9	7	0	1	13	3
CANADA.....	6,955	4,886	5,960	5,036	5,342	4,082	6,032	6,024
COSTA RICA.....	27	2	2	26	25	14	24	55
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	986	1,653	1,692	1,601	806	1,350	1,264	1,573
EL SALVADOR.....	41	36	24	14	38	9	26	71
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	10	5	10	44	6	29	20	8
GUATEMALA.....	42	5	10	44	46	31	40	55
HAITI.....	5	27	21	18	4	21	17	18
HONDURAS.....	71	89	66	0	57	91	57	1
JAMAICA.....	1,141	1,484	1,775	1,840	920	1,176	1,473	1,456
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	5	11	16	27	4	4	14	46
MEXICO.....	349	15	38	76	295	49	193	163
NICARAGUA.....	13	73	58	10	12	38	73	10
PANAMA.....	166	401	301	340	139	347	273	372
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	764	910	571	866	643	759	487	901
OTHER.....	14	0	1	24	11	0	1	36
TOTAL 3/.....	10,739	9,775	10,812	10,153	8,441	8,376	10,237	12,128
SOUTH AMERICA								
ARGENTINA.....	84	125	64	59	322	650	301	554
BRAZIL.....	4	11	10	15	29	94	74	114
CHILE.....	44	0	0	0	77	0	0	0
COLUMBIA.....	0	3	21	3	0	5	27	13
ECUADOR.....	82	367	81	63	73	311	64	64
GUYANA.....	276	303	578	514	236	459	321	330
PERU.....	53	163	2	7	51	162	12	20
SURINAM.....	108	218	175	155	99	199	173	163
VENEZUELA.....	172	11	13	13	154	36	30	44
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	827	1,199	943	828	1,041	1,119	1,225	1,215
EUROPE								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	30	3	9	14	112	8	30	66
DENMARK.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	18	33	79	112	72	203	288	412
GERMANY, WEST.....	174	68	64	114	414	195	174	291
IRELAND.....	17	0	1	0	65	0	2	0
ITALY.....	236	257	406	335	679	656	1,243	1,243
NETHERLANDS.....	10	5	0	7	20	20	1	20
UNITED KINGDOM.....	8	2	2	2	9	3	3	35
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	493	368	561	586	1,371	1,186	1,770	2,067
SPAIN.....	14	0	2	3	44	0	0	8
OTHER.....	3	2	0	1	12	3	0	3
TOTAL 3/.....	510	370	563	587	1,426	1,188	1,774	2,078
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA								
IRAN.....	0	2	16	8	3	9	22	25
JAPAN.....	2	0	11	3	3	1	12	10
OTHER.....	10	4	2	19	18	6	0	40
TOTAL 3/.....	12	7	28	31	23	17	34	75
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	12,089	11,350	12,347	11,600	10,932	11,798	13,746	15,797

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 13.--Dried eggs: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	3	8	6	8	3	7	5	10
BERMUDA.....	4	3	6	12	5	4	7	13
CANADA.....	76	47	37	45	84	57	39	65
JAMAICA.....	0	0	14	0	0	0	10	0
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	1	2	5	0	1	2	0	0
MEXICO.....	17	0	0	0	18	0	0	0
PANAMA.....	9	5	11	5	10	5	13	7
OTHER.....	5	0	5	7	5	0	0	10
TOTAL 2/.....	115	64	83	77	125	75	80	105
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	4	0	2	12	5	0	3	16
COLOMBIA.....	1	1	41	7	1	1	34	11
VENEZUELA.....	4	5	12	32	4	6	17	50
OTHER.....	7	5	10	10	8	7	13	17
TOTAL 2/.....	16	11	65	60	19	14	80	94
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	10	29	56	69	12	34	14	121
DENMARK.....	9	8	2	131	10	8	3	224
GERMANY, WEST.....	41	194	125	217	46	241	102	341
IRELAND.....	0	6	13	2	1	5	13	4
ITALY.....	9	66	8	103	12	76	11	187
NETHERLANDS.....	53	28	112	142	51	34	120	238
UNITED KINGDOM.....	99	372	710	1,221	107	416	171	1,756
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	221	703	1,027	1,886	237	615	1,132	2,070
AUSTRIA.....	28	95	148	255	31	122	176	420
GREECE.....	6	21	57	247	8	25	68	367
PORTUGAL.....	0	0	0	42	0	0	0	85
SPAIN.....	1	13	20	7	1	15	22	12
SWEDEN.....	5	2	12	0	6	1	11	0
SWITZERLAND.....	198	399	414	573	233	453	480	873
YUGOSLAVIA.....	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	23
OTHER.....	1	2	9	6	1	3	10	10
TOTAL 2/.....	461	1,236	1,686	3,016	517	1,436	1,730	4,668
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
ANGOLA.....	0	0	14	28	0	0	21	40
IRAN.....	0	0	4	10	0	0	6	13
ISRAEL.....	10	39	67	122	12	47	11	178
JAPAN.....	3	171	198	904	4	175	203	1,363
PHILIPPINES.....	3	8	2	4	4	10	3	8
OTHER.....	3	6	7	21	3	7	9	39
TOTAL 2/.....	19	224	292	1,090	23	241	221	1,839
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	610	1,535	2,127	4,243	683	1,767	2,425	6,304

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 14.--Eggs, frozen or otherwise preserved: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	7	0	0	1	3	0	0	1
BERMUDA.....	37	43	30	44	12	15	11	30
CANADA.....	189	12	7	126	107	5	3	90
JAMAICA.....	19	16	0	0	7	6	0	0
LEEWARD-WINDWARD IS.....	1	4	4	10	0	2	3	0
MEXICO.....	12	0	1	0	5	0	1	0
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	16	21	12	9	7	10	5	5
OTHER.....	3	6	0	0	2	2	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	284	103	54	190	142	39	22	140
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	1	0	3	0	1	0	3	0
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DENMARK.....	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	8
GERMANY, WEST.....	36	0	0	0	20	1	0	0
ITALY.....	3	0	307	0	3	0	122	0
NETHERLANDS.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	8	0	1	257	7	0	1	208
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	48	0	368	266	31	1	122	218
ICELAND.....	2	13	95	3	2	6	38	0
SPAIN.....	0	0	7	0	0	0	3	4
OTHER.....	3	0	0	24	2	0	0	20
TOTAL 2/.....	53	13	469	293	35	7	162	240
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
JAPAN.....	7	181	1,925	1,064	3	167	143	889
NANSEI ISLANDS, NEC.....	22	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	25	1	1	0	6	1	1	0
TRUST TERRITORY PACIFIC IS	0	28	11	1	0	7	4	1
OTHER.....	33	0	1	18	9	0	1	12
TOTAL 2/.....	88	210	1,938	1,083	25	175	149	881
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	425	326	2,465	1,566	203	221	335	1,262

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 15.--Baby chicks: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	U N I T (IN THOUSAND HEAD)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA								
BAHAMAS.....	1,207	3,257	3,115	3,487	179	397	430	628
BARBAOS.....	4	11	2	30	0	2	1	8
BELIZE 2/.....	43	104	143	23	7	18	24	9
BERMUDA.....	23	27	39	31	9	12	15	12
CANADA.....	4,156	9,611	10,738	11,467	1,360	2,803	2,893	3,149
COSTA RICA.....	17	35	40	62	18	37	48	71
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC.....	558	1,004	956	662	138	487	331	283
EL SALVADOR.....	79	135	158	58	35	81	66	48
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	18	37	4	0	8	8	1	0
GUATEMALA.....	84	156	161	218	65	121	133	188
HAITI.....	111	127	157	159	14	17	22	27
HONDURAS.....	449	631	1,241	954	89	137	281	235
JAMAICA.....	17	0	7	2	3	0	3	1
LEEWARD-WINWARD IS.....	28	68	75	168	6	19	19	21
MEXICO.....	1,114	2,015	1,134	855	991	2,001	1,090	1,750
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	68	183	200	166	19	46	50	45
NICARAGUA.....	499	1,639	1,480	1,262	65	400	180	342
PANAMA.....	37	30	8	41	20	40	14	47
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	163	383	247	277	70	182	143	141
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	8,673	19,453	19,904	19,922	3,093	6,406	6,170	7,002
SOUTH AMERICA								
ARGENTINA.....	33	61	54	0	38	68	30	0
BOLIVIA.....	5	6	15	18	5	11	17	25
BRAZIL.....	132	376	318	341	329	1,171	1,918	1,275
CHILE.....	170	321	281	185	168	353	434	459
COLOMBIA.....	125	360	345	270	133	384	423	373
ECUADOR.....	56	370	128	131	52	307	190	193
GUYANA.....	46	114	491	122	25	38	121	47
PERU.....	116	365	160	281	157	592	414	584
SURINAM.....	402	886	1,591	2,120	66	148	290	354
VENEZUELA.....	270	551	364	449	251	683	571	826
OTHER.....	2	6	11	0	1	5	10	0
TOTAL 3/.....	1,357	3,416	3,757	3,918	1,226	3,761	3,539	4,135
EUROPE								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	138	71	55	104	80	59	40	86
DENMARK.....	1	0	4	0	1	0	4	0
FRANCE.....	88	154	231	124	410	548	484	597
GERMANY, WEST.....	10	4	9	4	6	3	8	1
IRELAND.....	9	0	30	26	14	0	44	61
ITALY.....	318	580	416	463	313	630	434	494
NETHERLANDS.....	49	121	94	109	105	409	152	178
UNITED KINGDOM.....	16	20	21	28	46	50	46	138
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	670	950	858	858	976	1,301	1,268	1,555
GREECE.....	300	720	568	324	306	851	532	413
PORTUGAL.....	84	160	36	21	65	122	64	70
SPAIN.....	319	558	361	267	621	1,058	131	757
SWEDEN.....	11	15	13	16	16	27	7	17
OTHER.....	4	22	9	30	12	62	15	17
TOTAL 3/.....	1,389	2,425	1,845	1,506	1,996	3,620	2,746	2,927
AFRICA								
ANGOLA.....	2	13	12	4	2	14	12	9
GHANA.....	1	7	24	7	3	19	52	13
LIBYA.....	0	0	19	0	0	0	43	0
NIGERIA.....	12	76	67	61	17	125	149	155
TANZANIA.....	0	0	3	9	0	0	1	11
TUNISIA.....	2	12	0	0	1	11	0	0
OTHER.....	9	15	9	8	9	21	17	15
TOTAL 3/.....	25	122	133	89	31	190	288	202
ASIA AND OCEANIA								
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN)	202	423	361	373	192	347	344	354
CYPRUS.....	20	95	110	95	19	102	112	107
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	54	121	112	132	18	41	41	61
HONG KONG.....	8	35	4	2	4	11	2	1
INDIA.....	18	42	22	28	21	99	36	52
INDONESIA.....	4	25	35	43	6	26	56	128
IRAN.....	74	177	90	77	40	141	124	220
JAPAN.....	1,149	1,494	1,722	1,579	1,964	2,740	3,180	2,112
JORDAN.....	4	17	34	4	3	15	20	5
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	71	92	128	112	99	127	184	153
LEBANON.....	41	186	155	176	67	140	169	236
MALAYSIA.....	27	31	52	42	29	30	26	42
PAKISTAN.....	15	17	26	35	23	52	74	49
PHILIPPINES.....	149	305	240	489	163	300	270	501
SINGAPORE.....	47	190	163	228	49	400	163	286
SRI LANKA (CEYLON).....	11	29	11	7	13	36	16	12
THAILAND.....	52	153	270	198	54	194	333	313
TURKEY.....	2	2	37	53	5	13	50	100
VIETNAM, SOUTH.....	373	235	284	88	102	439	481	94
OTHER.....	22	31	12	32	47	97	10	25
TOTAL 3/.....	2,389	4,101	3,868	3,791	2,976	4,750	5,534	4,655
GRAND TOTAL 3/.....	13,834	29,517	29,507	29,226	9,263	18,927	18,457	19,122

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Prior to July 1973, British Honduras. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 16.--Turkey poultry: U.S. exports by country of destination,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSAND HEAD)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
CANADA.....	440	386	628	1,195	250	167	309	595
EL SALVADOR.....	3	2	0	2	13	11	0	9
GUATEMALA.....	1	1	2	1	4	4	7	6
MEXICO.....	35	5	18	24	26	7	6	11
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1
PANAMA.....	0	1	1	0	0	0	5	1
OTHER.....	2	2	1	1	5	4	3	3
TOTAL 2/.....	481	395	652	1,223	298	192	328	626
SOUTH AMERICA:								
BRAZIL.....	7	3	0	2	14	6	0	10
CHILE.....	2	3	27	3	6	9	18	12
COLOMBIA.....	2	1	1	2	4	5	4	10
ECUADOR.....	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	3
PERU.....	12	19	36	44	39	76	72	61
VENEZUELA.....	4	5	6	11	18	21	26	31
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2
TOTAL 2/.....	29	32	71	63	83	120	122	140
EUROPE:								
DENMARK.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0
FRANCE.....	50	150	405	87	67	111	189	43
GERMANY, WEST.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITALY.....	9	0	0	0	22	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	0	0	3	0	0	0	6	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	60	150	409	87	91	111	201	43
GREECE.....	1	3	0	0	1	4	0	0
SPAIN.....	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
SWEDEN.....	1	2	0	0	2	5	0	0
OTHER.....	2	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	64	155	409	87	101	120	201	43
AFRICA:								
.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ASIA AND OCEANIA:								
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0
JAPAN.....	1	1	2	7	2	3	12	11
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LEBANON.....	0	0	21	0	0	0	16	0
PHILIPPINES.....	0	0	1	3	0	1	1	1
VIETNAM, SOUTH.....	0	5	0	0	0	9	0	0
OTHER.....	6	4	1	1	11	12	1	4
TOTAL 2/.....	8	10	26	11	14	27	32	17
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	581	591	1,158	1,384	496	459	682	816

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 17.--Other live poultry: U.S. exports by country of destination, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COUNTRY OF DESTINATION	Q U A N T I T Y (IN THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
NORTH AMERICA:								
BAHAMAS.....	122	8	10	16	52	9	9	7
CANADA.....	4,872	1,451	3,477	7,509	1,560	655	1,300	2,437
EL SALVADOR.....	7	0	3	2	8	0	1	1
FRENCH WEST INDIES.....	29	122	87	135	18	71	55	114
HAITI.....	2	6	8	6	1	3	7	9
HONDURAS.....	3	102	53	1	3	70	34	6
JAMAICA.....	14	11	31	18	9	16	21	17
LEFWARD-INWARD IS.....	8	8	33	0	4	5	17	0
MEXICO.....	717	43	47	73	410	22	10	29
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES.....	8	34	82	212	4	21	31	116
NICARAGUA.....	9	38	0	2	5	20	1	3
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO.....	1	55	1	12	9	41	3	2
OTHER.....	6	5	11	9	11	9	13	11
TOTAL 2/.....	5,799	1,883	3,842	7,989	2,084	943	1,335	2,752
SOUTH AMERICA:								
CHILE.....	3	0	0	1,445	1	0	0	634
COLOMBIA.....	11	0	0	1	3	0	1	2
PERU.....	2	1	1	0	3	1	2	0
SURINAM.....	3	5	9	8	5	9	16	20
VENEZUELA.....	28	62	26	11	31	33	28	32
OTHER.....	2	1	1	1	7	3	3	5
TOTAL 2/.....	49	69	38	1,466	50	46	51	693
EUROPE:								
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	7	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
DENMARK.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	17	36	0	0	6	6	0	0
ITALY.....	66	0	0	0	32	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	7	0	87	0	3	0	23	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	0	6	0	2	0	2	0	1
TOTAL EC-9 2/.....	98	42	87	2	45	8	23	1
SPAIN.....	4	3	0	0	12	3	0	0
SWEDEN.....	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER.....	1	1	0	0	4	2	0	0
TOTAL 2/.....	103	46	103	2	61	13	23	1
AFRICA, ASIA, AND OCEANIA:								
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN).....	5	1	0	26	11	3	1	7
FRENCH PACIFIC ISLANDS.....	2	0	4	6	3	0	2	2
HONG KONG.....	1	0	30	0	0	1	11	0
JAPAN.....	34	1	0	194	55	1	0	60
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF.....	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES.....	35	0	131	9	49	1	43	9
THAILAND.....	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
OTHER.....	2	0	5	2	4	0	1	2
TOTAL 2/.....	88	2	170	238	126	5	58	80
GRAND TOTAL 2/.....	6,040	2,000	4,153	9,695	2,322	1,007	1,870	3,525

1/ Preliminary. 2/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 18.--Poultry products: U.S. imports, quantity and value, average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COMMODITY	Q U A N T I T Y (IN 1,000 POUNDS UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN)				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
POULTRY MEAT 2/:								
CHICKENS, DUCKS, ETC. INCL. GAME								
FRESH OR FROZEN.....	92	204	153	213	56	129	104	143
TURKEYS, FRESH OR FROZEN.....	39	8	0	0	15	5	0	0
CHICKENS, DUCKS, ETC. INCL. GAME								
PREPARED OR PRESERVED.....	351	716	472	1,432	401	663	527	1,078
GOOSE LIVER PRODUCTS.....	94	83	82	103	439	374	473	567
TOTAL 3/.....	577	1,010	707	1,748	911	1,171	1,104	1,788
EGGS:								
CHICKEN IN SHELL (1000 DOZ).....	5,658	1,341	8,748	10,125	2,075	471	3,178	4,944
OTHER IN SHELL (1000 DOZ).....	447	737	767	712	745	1,326	1,321	1,032
ORIEO.....	1,750	509	1	0	1,192	316	1	0
FROZEN OR OTHERWISE PREPARED.....	675	30	45	50	190	25	32	46
TOTAL 3/.....	---	---	---	---	4,221	2,139	4,532	6,023
LIVE POULTRY:								
BABY CHICKS (IN THOUSANDS).....	3,290	2,967	3,264	2,456	2,234	1,777	1,541	1,458
OTHER.....	1,931	1,272	1,038	5,248	457	312	393	2,735
TOTAL 3/.....	5,221	4,239	4,302	7,704	2,691	2,089	1,933	4,193
TOTAL POULTRY AND EGGS 3/.....	---	---	---	---	7,823	5,394	7,570	11,704

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Whole or parts. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

Table 19.--Poultry products: U.S. imports by country of origin,
average 1967-71, fiscal year 1972-74

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY OF ORIGIN	QUANTITY				V A L U E (IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)			
	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/	5-YEAR AVG 1967-1971	FY 1972	FY 1973	FY 1974 1/
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds				
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH OR FROZ 2/:								
CANADA.....	115	205	146	177	56	115	94	114
NEW ZEALAND.....	5	0	6	0	2	0	6	0
OTHER.....	11	7	2	36	13	19	4	28
TOTAL 3/.....	131	212	153	213	71	134	104	143
BIROS, PREPARED OR PRES. NEC:								
CANADA.....	289	690	462	1,425	265	599	498	1,063
FRANCE.....	6	0	2	3	4	2	10	9
HONG KONG.....	42	14	7	0	44	50	17	0
OTHER.....	15	8	1	4	28	11	2	6
TOTAL 3/.....	353	714	472	1,432	401	663	527	1,078
GOOSE LIVER PRODUCTS:								
FRANCE.....	97	83	60	102	436	374	467	563
OTHER.....	1	0	2	1	4	0	5	5
TOTAL 3/.....	94	83	62	103	439	374	473	567
EGGS IN SHELL:	1,000 dozen	1,000 dozen	1,000 dozen	1,000 dozen				
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG.....	748	1	92	0	241	2	33	0
DENMARK.....	557	0	0	0	154	0	0	0
FRANCE.....	5	0	30	101	1	0	16	57
GERMANY, WEST.....	0	0	180	1	0	0	66	1
ITALY.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	1,202	9	115	4	387	6	32	6
UNITED KINGDOM.....	18	3	956	1	10	9	437	3
TOTAL EC-9 3/.....	2,570	12	1,374	107	794	17	583	68
AUSTRALIA.....	11	18	0	0	3	0	0	0
BAHAMAS.....	0	0	14	0	0	5	4	0
CANADA.....	2,282	1,308	6,619	10,344	1,547	1,379	3,330	5,446
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA.....	0	25	57	78	0	22	60	47
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN)	259	257	291	231	190	193	243	259
FINLAND.....	0	0	959	0	0	0	192	0
GUATEMALA.....	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
HONG KONG.....	2	22	40	51	2	24	42	77
MEXICO.....	364	433	0	0	122	152	0	0
NICARAGUA.....	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	24
SPAIN.....	183	0	0	0	61	0	0	0
SWEDEN.....	47	0	160	0	12	0	44	0
VENEZUELA.....	16	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
OTHER.....	402	2	2	3	101	4	1	5
TOTAL 3/.....	6,145	2,077	9,515	10,837	2,840	1,797	4,499	5,976
EGGS DRIED:	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds				
CANADA.....	7	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
DENMARK.....	870	157	0	0	600	94	0	0
GERMANY, WEST.....	42	61	0	0	25	36	0	0
NETHERLANDS.....	393	0	0	0	250	0	0	0
POLAND.....	28	0	0	0	24	0	0	0
SPAIN.....	9	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
SWEDEN.....	198	244	0	0	144	159	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	182	45	0	0	119	26	0	0
OTHER.....	21	2	1	0	14	1	1	0
TOTAL 3/.....	1,750	509	1	0	1,192	316	1	0
EGGS, FROZEN OR PRESERVED:								
CHINA, REPUBLIC OF (TAIWAN)	11	13	36	35	10	8	23	28
DENMARK.....	123	0	0	0	32	0	0	0
JAPAN.....	9	15	6	13	8	16	7	17
NETHERLANDS.....	27	0	0	0	6	0	0	0
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA..	24	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM.....	287	0	0	0	65	0	0	0
OTHER.....	194	2	3	1	63	2	2	1
TOTAL 3/.....	675	30	45	50	190	25	32	46
POULTRY, LIVE BABY CHICKS:	Thou- sands	Thou- sands	Thou- sands	Thou- sands				
CANADA.....	3,290	2,967	3,264	2,856	2,232	1,777	1,541	1,658
OTHER.....	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
TOTAL 3/.....	3,290	2,967	3,264	2,856	2,234	1,777	1,541	1,658
OTHER LIVE POULTRY:	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds				
CANADA.....	1,928	1,270	1,035	5,244	432	282	322	2,196
OTHER.....	3	2	4	3	25	30	71	39
TOTAL 3/.....	1,931	1,272	1,038	5,248	457	312	393	2,235

1/ Preliminary. 2/ Includes chickens, turkeys, guineas, ducks, and small game. 3/ May not add due to rounding.

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World Egg and Poultry Situation: Output Held Back by Price-Cost Squeeze

Summary

Most of 1974 has been a difficult period for Northern Hemisphere poultrymen, with respect to both eggs and poultry meat. Weak farm and wholesale prices for poultry products and soaring prices for feedstuffs and other production items resulted in severe financial losses and, as the year wore on, some degree of production cutback. The poultry industries in Southern Hemisphere countries are somewhat isolated from world trade influences and therefore do not necessarily fall into this generalization covering the rest of the world.

Egg production in 1974 is estimated to be about 1 percent above that of 1973, when 33 major producing countries produced a total of about 24 billion dozen eggs for domestic consumption, plus hatching and trade needs. Output in 1975 is likely to be about 3 percent below 1974's, at an estimated 23.7 billion dozen.

Poultry meat production for 1974 is expected to be slightly above the 1973 level, but 1974's early season increases were partly offset by widespread production declines occurring at and after midyear.

Total poultry meat output in 33 major countries in 1974 is estimated at 29.8 billion pounds (up about 1 percent).

In the European Community (EC) the late-season declines are the result of an agreement by concerned broiler groups to cut back production. The late-1974 decline in broilers will prospectively average 10 percent or more in the EC countries, and a similar drop is occurring in the United States. These declines will likely continue into early 1975, but will hopefully level off later in that year if 1975 crop prospects develop favorably with indication of corresponding effects on feed prices. World output of poultry meat in 1975 is estimated at about 27.7 billion pounds—some 7 percent below the 1974 level.

Eggs

In 33 countries¹ for which data are available, 1974 egg production will be up an estimated 1 percent from last year—totaling about 24.4 billion dozen. Prospective 1975 output at 23.7 billion dozen is estimated to be down about 3 percent in anticipation of a continued cost-price squeeze upon producers.

To a considerable degree, prices and price relationships in the United States in 1974 have been an index of market conditions affecting egg producers in many other countries as well. While egg prices were declining in late spring, high feed prices sharply reduced—and at some times practically eliminated—net returns from egg production. The situation became especially acute in August, when adverse feed crop indications were first reflected in future prices for corn and soybean meal. Although U.S. egg prices rose in the summer, they were not sufficiently high to compensate for the sharp rise in mixed feed prices. Egg production costs in most countries outside the United States have not risen by the same percentage as in the United States because in some instances those costs in the earlier base period were sustained by Minimum Import Prices for grains.

In response to such price relationships, early summer placements of chicks for replenishing laying flocks were generally below those of the year before in countries for which data is available. However, the International Egg Commission reports some increase in subsequent placements. In the United States, where continual data are available, cumulative 1974 placements through Oc-

¹In 1972 the 33 countries included in this report produced over 70 percent of the world's eggs. The reference used is the FAO's **Production Yearbook, 1972**.

tober were 90 percent of those in corresponding 1973 period. Coupled with somewhat depleted current domestic laying flocks worldwide—culled because of adverse feed/price relationships—the 1975 world outlook suggests a reduction in egg production from 1974. Worldwide, the cut may be in the order of about 3 percent.

North America: Despite announcement of a quota system intended to restrict egg production in commercial flocks, 1974 egg production in **Canada** is above 1973's, with a 3 or 4 percent increase likely for calendar 1974. The August laying flock was 98 percent of that of year ago, and early-October egg deliveries to packing stations averaged about the same as for the corresponding 1973 period. Egg-type chick hatchings from January through mid-October were 10 percent below 1973's. Canadian egg prices have been supported by the Canadian Egg Marketing Agency (CEMA), which has been diverting surplus eggs from usual commercial channels since the spring of 1974.

CEMA actions include diversion of eggs to breakers in both Canada and the United States at prices which include varying degrees of subsidy and the storage of eggs for the account of the Agency. Also, to support CEMA programs, the Canadian Government is buying eggs for the World Food Program, and restricting egg imports whenever CEMA price objectives are not attained. CEMA imposes a producer levy—recently as high as 9 cents (Canadian) for eggs produced commercially in Ontario—but this has not been sufficient to cover program costs.

Although numbers of layers in **U.S.** flocks have been below 1973 levels throughout 1974, total egg production in the **United States** has reflected rising rates of lay per bird, and the production has been surprisingly close to last year's in the 10 months ending October 1974, it was 98 percent of the 1973 level. However, as a result of the unsatisfactory profit situation, monthly hatchings of replacement chicks have been below 1973 levels since the beginning of this year. The reductions estimated for September and October one 26 percent and 27 percent, respectively. Such cuts will significantly affect layer flock size in early 1975, and production then will be down more sharply than at present.

Additional **U.S.** Government help to egg producers—beyond usual ongoing programs of market development, fair competition, and market information—has been indirect, through inclusion of canned poultry meat among the items bought by the Department of Agriculture for distribution under Federal nutrition programs.

Mexico, the second largest egg producer in North America, probably registered a small increase over the year before in its 1974 egg production.

South America: Each of the four major South American egg producing countries covered in this report increased its egg production, by an average of about 4 per-

cent for the group. The increase in Argentina to 33 million dozen (13 percent) was larger than the combined increases of Brazil, Peru, and Venezuela.

European Community: Egg production in the EC-9 for 1974 is expected to increase only slightly—less than 1 percent—over 1973's. Total output should reach nearly 5.4 billion dozen. In turn, 1973 production was about the same as that in 1972 but 2 percent above 1971's. Most of the EC output is utilized within the Community. The Netherlands and Belgium/Luxembourg, for example, export approximately one-third of their output to other Member States, and West German egg imports amount to about one-sixth of domestic production. These relative trade positions will likely continue in 1975. Egg output in the EC-9 is estimated to decline by between 4 to 5 percent in 1975.

Egg production in West Germany in 1974 is expected to decline by about 3 percent. However, this decrease does not fully offset increases in France, the United Kingdom, Italy, the Netherlands, and Belgium.

Other West European countries are showing no important changes in 1974 egg production as compared with 1973. The seven countries covered in this report are expected to produce about 1.3 billion dozen eggs in 1974—about one-fourth of total EC output.

Estimates of egg production in **Eastern Europe and USSR** are on a trend basis since 1972. On this basis, 1974 output for the group is expected to be up about 4 percent over 1973. Based on 1972, the most recent available data, egg output in these countries about equals the combined outputs of EC and other West European countries.

Japanese egg production in 1974 remained about unchanged from that of a year earlier, at about 2.5 billion dozen. However, egg producers will likely cut 1975 output by about 5 percent, largely because of low prices. Japanese egg production remains in traditional, or relatively small-scale units, (as contrasted with broiler output) and thus is very price responsive.

Australian egg production has shown a steady rise in the past few years, from 230 million dozen in 1971 to about 280 million expected in 1974. A small increase is expected in 1975.

Poultry Meat

In roughly 30 years since the end of World War II, the broiler has become the principal source of poultry meat for most of the industrialized world, supplanting the hen whose meat is a byproduct of egg production. In developed countries, hens now typically provide only about one-tenth of the total poultry meat consumption. Turkeys are increasing in importance and are estimated to account for nearly 13 percent of total 1974 poultry meat supply in the countries reported.

Poultry meat production in 33 countries is expected to increase slightly (less than 1 percent) in 1974, totaling an

estimated 29.8 billion pounds.¹ Broiler output, however, is up about 1½ percent from 1973's output of nearly 19 billion pounds. In the United States and the EC—which together produce about two-thirds of the world's broilers—early-year broiler production increases were followed by late-season cutbacks, reflecting producer dissatisfaction with prices and net returns. Turkey markets in mid-1974 were also unfavorable, and cuts in poult placements in the major producing countries occurred in mid and late summer.

North America: Although early-October placements of broiler chicks in **Canada** were 10 percent below those of a year earlier, cumulative 1974 placements to that time exceeded 1973's by 3 percent. Broiler production for 1974 is accordingly likely to total about 734 million pounds—3 percent above last year's. Canadian turkey production based on slaughter to date, plus recent placements of poult, will probably be about 7 percent above that of 1973.

Returns to turkey producers are protected by the Canadian Turkey Marketing Agency (CTMA), a national organization coordinating programs of provincial turkey marketing boards. To date, the price-supporting efforts of CTMA have been principally limited to restricting imports. If the price objectives of CTMA are attained—for example about 40 cents (Canadian) per pound live for medium weight turkeys in Toronto—it is expected production will increase in 1975 unless restraints are applied.

Canadian broiler prices are also high in comparison with prices in the United States. Provincial Marketing Boards made production allotments in some provinces, and the Canadian Government is currently considering establishing a national broiler marketing agency.

In the **United States**, January-July broiler slaughter was about 6 percent above that in the same period of 1973. Subsequent output through September was only 2 percent above the 1973 level, and chick placements related to slaughter for the remainder of the year are down about 10 percent. Early in 1975 the decline could be even sharper.

The U.S. turkey industry has performed similarly in 1974. After mid-season hatchings about one-third larger than the year before, hatchings in June and thereafter were cut substantially below those of the year before. In September, hatchings were 22 percent below 1973's. This indicates that the sharp drop expected in 1975 turkey production has already begun, since all hatchings after September contribute to the slaughter of the following year.¹ Cold-store stocks of turkeys on October 1, 1974, meanwhile, were 526 million pounds, 50 percent above those of the previous year and about 25 percent of

recent annual production. The United States produces about two-thirds of the world turkey output covered by this report.

Since about mid-1974, the U.S. Department of Agriculture has been buying cut-up broilers and frozen turkey and/or products for domestic programs. Through November 8, 1974, these USDA purchases have supplemented normal marketing programs paralleling those mentioned in the Egg section.

After a decline in 1973, poultry meat production in **Mexico** for 1974 is expected to recover to 1972 levels—an estimated 535 million pounds. The decline, and subsequent recovery, was almost entirely in broilers.

South America: After rapid expansion in the late 1960's and early 1970's the broiler industry of **Argentina** has retrenched, output in **Venezuela** has been very stable, but **Brazil** has almost trebled its output in the past 5 or 6 years. In 1973 Brazil became the largest producer of poultry meat—largely broilers—in South America. Brazilian output in 1974 is estimated to reach 765 million pounds of poultry meat.

European Community: The combination of rising production costs, sluggish domestic demand for poultry meat, and accumulation of stocks, adversely affected EC poultry producers the first half of 1974. At mid-year, producer representatives from the various countries met and agreed to production cutbacks, generally aimed at 5 to 10 percent of annual output, to be effective in the last 6 months of the year. Added to the glut of poultry on EC markets was the sizable beef surplus, which eventually exceeded 200,000 metric tons. While the cuts in EC broiler output were not fully achieved in all participating countries, the pressure of supply was somewhat abated through the use of export subsidies that ranged from about 6 to 8 cents per pound, as well as by good demand from the oil-producing countries of the mid-East. The EC subsidy action created problems for U.S. poultry producers seeking export business. The current price relationship in the EC poultry meat industry reflect reduced consumption and are still not favorable because of higher costs of production.

Mid-1974 chick placement levels in representative EC countries were 5 to 15 percent below those of 1973. Trends in turkey poult placements, however, were mixed among EC producers at midyear. June placements were down by one sixth in France (second-largest producer) and in West Germany as well, but were up by 50 percent in Italy (largest producer) and almost 50 percent in the Netherlands. For these 4 countries, January-June poult placements in 1974 were 115 percent of comparable 1973 data. Obviously, the 1974 EC production increase for turkeys, as for broilers, is concentrated relatively early in the year.

¹In 1972 reduction of poultry meat in these 33 countries accounted for about two-thirds of the world total reported in FAO's 1972 **Production Yearbook**.

¹October 1 turkey eggs in incubators were 102 percent of year earlier level, but this increase is not expected to be indicative of activity in subsequent months.

The factors which reduced year-end poultry production in the EC are not likely to be relieved until 1975 is well along. These factors include high feed prices, a reported drop in real income, and an acute beef oversupply, which evidently is impairing the demand for poultry meat. Therefore, 1975 poultry meat output in the EC is expected to be down significantly perhaps by as much as 10 percent. Broilers and turkeys will share in this decrease.

Other Europe, and Middle East: Data are available only for Austria, Greece, Spain, Switzerland, and Lebanon among the market-economy countries. In 1974, combined poultry meat output in these countries rose only slightly from the 1973 level of nearly 1.9 billion pounds. In the centrally planned countries of Eastern Europe, 1974 poultry meat production is expected to be about unchanged from 1973. Output in the USSR, how-

ever, rose an estimated 4 percent in 1974 over that of a year earlier.

Japan: Despite complaints about low or non-existent profits, the Japanese broiler industry continues to expand, although at a slower rate than in 1966-73 when output quadrupled. An increase in broiler output of between 6 and 8 percent to about 1.3 billion pounds is expected in 1974. In addition to financial considerations, problems in minimizing pollution from animal wastes are a restricting expansion of the Japanese poultry industry, which is made up of large units under integrated control. Total poultry meat production in 1974 is estimated at slightly over 1.5 billion pounds.

Australia is about self-sufficient in poultry meat production. Production had continued to increase gradually about 3 percent annually in the past 3 years, after a 70 percent increase from 1966 to 1971. Poultry meat output in 1974 should exceed 380 million pounds.

Eggs and Feed Ingredients: Price indexes (1972=100)
items, U.S. and U.K., 1972 to date

Year Calendar Quarter	Eggs			Feed and Ingredient Prices		
				Corn,		
	U.S.,			U.S. (Chicago)		
	to producer			#2 yellow		
	at farm			to producer:		
	Index			Index		
	as			as		
	reported	Index		reported	Index	
	<u>Cents</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Percent</u>
	<u>per doz.</u>			<u>per bu.</u>		
1972						
I-----	30.4	96	111	1.22	93	96
II-----	27.6	87	91	1.27	97	97
III-----	31.5	99	82	1.32	101	99
IV-----	37.4	118	116	1.41	108	107
1973						
I-----	46.6	147	143	1.59	122	128
II-----	47.6	150	183	2.03	156	131
III-----	61.5	194	211	2.65	203	150
IV-----	60.8	192	288	2.52	193	170
1974						
I-----	62.4	197	259	3.01	231	193
II-----	43.9	138	210	2.68	205	191
III-----	48.2	152	179	3.49	267	<u>1/</u> 185
IV <u>1/</u> -----	56.-	177	232	3.60	276	--

1/ Partial

Sources: U.S. data, Poultry and Egg Situation, September 1974
and current sources

U.K. data, Poultry World, October 17, 1974, and
prior issues

Poultry Meat Prices: Selected Series the United States, Canada, The Netherlands,
West Germany, 1972 to Date
/In U.S. cents per lb/

Year. month	U.S., equivalent at-farm price	Broilers, live, price paid to producers	Netherlands :(contract price)2/	U.S., 9- city, RTC : chilled2/	Broilers, rtc wholesale : West Germany (Hamburg) : frozen 2/3/	Turkeys, live, U.S. at-farm prices
1972:						
January.....	13.5	20.20	20.78	26.37	32.6	22.7
April.....	12.9	22.00	21.37	26.53	35.6	21.8
July.....	15.5	22.00	21.58	30.85	36.7	21.4
October.....	14.6	23.50	21.46	29.78	36.2	21.9
1973:						
January.....	17.2	24.50	22.05	32.67	39.6	24.3
April.....	25.2	29.00	26.95	44.31	49.8	31.6
July.....	27.6	33.00	33.33	43.36	64.2	34.1
October.....	23.7	36.80	40.30	39.58	65.8	42.7
1974:						
January.....	20.9	33.25	29.60	38.87	51.0	35.4
February.....	23.7	34.25	30.75	38.04	51.8	32.3
March.....	22.5	35.50	31.60	40.24	50.2	32.0
April.....	21.2	35.50	30.50	38.17	51.2	27.5
May.....	20.6	34.50	30.95	35.87	51.8	24.4
June.....	18.6	34.50	30.95	35.51	50.0	23.5
July.....	20.4	33.00	31.00	37.67	50.8	23.1
August.....	20.4	33.25	30.50	38.24	50.0	26.6
September.....	22.6	35.00	29.00	41.87	46.4	26.7
October.....	22.5	34.75	29.20	41.74	48.9	27.3
November.....			29.70	41.89	50.4	
December.....						

1/ Monthly averages through 1973; thereafter, midpoint of price range in first available week.

2/ Price for first available week of specified period.

3/ Midpoint of price range regardless of country of origin--type II in poly bags.

Poultry Meat and Egg Production in Major Countries

Country	Poultry meat (million pounds)				Eggs (millions)			
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1971	1972	1973	1974
North America:								
Canada.....	957.3	981.1	1,042.9	1,065	5,876	5,621	5,540	5,682
Mexico.....	444.9	537.9	490.8	535	6,800	7,100	7,157	7,400
United States.....	10,586.5	11,103.9	10,992.0	11,023	70,082	69,879	66,551	65,628
South America:								
Argentina.....	646.3	767.1	669.9	650	3,120	3,396	3,050	3,450
Brazil.....	423.2	535.8	708.0	765	10,092	10,290	10,350	10,500
Peru.....	110.3	139.0	161.1	165	770	1,050	1,190	1,200
Venezuela.....	138.7	159.1	179.6	175	1,494	1,455	1,572	1,700
Western Europe:								
Belgium-Luxembourg.....	260.2	248.7	243.9	244	3,964	3,950	3,867	4,000
Denmark.....	175.7	188.0	198.6	207	1,250	1,227	1,212	1,200
France.....	1,381.3	1,539.9	1,723.4	1,750	11,500	11,800	12,400	12,700
Germany, West.....	599.7	575.4	604.0	566	15,378	16,143	15,506	15,000
Ireland.....	76.5	76.6	87.3	85	740	734	714	650
Italy.....	1,576.2	1,812.0	1,882.7	1,985	10,390	10,612	11,564	11,700
Netherlands.....	661.4	690.4	721.2	690	4,367	4,421	4,701	4,850
United Kingdom.....	1,312.6	1,384.3	1,482.9	1,496	14,916	14,736	13,800	14,160
Total EC-9.....	6,043.6	6,515.3	6,944.0	7,023	62,505	63,623	63,764	64,260

1/ Revised 11/20/74.

Poultry Meat and Egg Production in Major Countries

Country	Poultry meat (million pounds)				Eggs (million)			
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1971	1972	1973	1974
Austria.....	98.1	97.9	108.9	105	1,559	1,542	1,564	1,500
Finland.....	13.2	13.7	14.0	14	1,304	1,324	1,324	1,324
Greece.....	165.3	183.0	176.4	185	1,926	1,919	2,140	2,175
Norway.....	15.4	15.5	19.8	18	676	654	665	665
Spain.....	701.7	725.3	760.6	765	7,397	7,440	7,525	7,600
Sweden.....	59.5	61.7	70.5	68	1,660	1,710	1,730	1,730
Switzerland.....	33.6	37.3	39.2	40	720	742	762	722
Eastern Europe:								
Bulgaria.....	235.9	238.0	240.0	240	1,747	1,723	1,734	1,790
Czechoslovakia.....	260.1	284.4	295.0	295	3,996	4,050	4,100	4,200
Germany, East.....	198.4	229.3	242.0	240	4,504	4,460	4,500	4,600
Hungary.....	531.3	502.6	505.0	500	3,475	3,300	3,500	3,500
Poland.....	328.5	350.5	385.0	385	7,080	7,476	7,505	7,650
Romania.....	284.4	319.7	330.0	330	3,984	4,200	4,500	4,500
Yugoslavia.....	326.3	317.5	344.0	345	3,012	3,050	3,250	3,250
USSR.....	2,608.0	2,727.1	2,855.0	2,976	45,100	47,900	51,540	54,000
Oceania:								
Australia.....	354.0	361.9	374.4	375	2,800	3,011	3,396	3,400
Japan.....	1,183.2	1,367.7	1,518.8	1,538	30,015	29,915	30,082	30,000
New Zealand.....								
Total.....	26,747.7	28,627.9	29,466.9	29,820	282,240	286,140	288,605	292,426

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